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DEDICATION



The Pricean Staff wishes to dedicate this annual to Mrs. Queen Victoria Sutton whose untiring efforts have made this and other annuals possible. Her inspiration as Senior counselor, her unusual talent as dramatic supervisor, and her ability to coordinate literature and life as English instructor make her worthy of far more than this dedication. The staff dedicates this annual as a token of appreciation for Mrs. Sutton's efforts and her interest in school activities and school citizens.



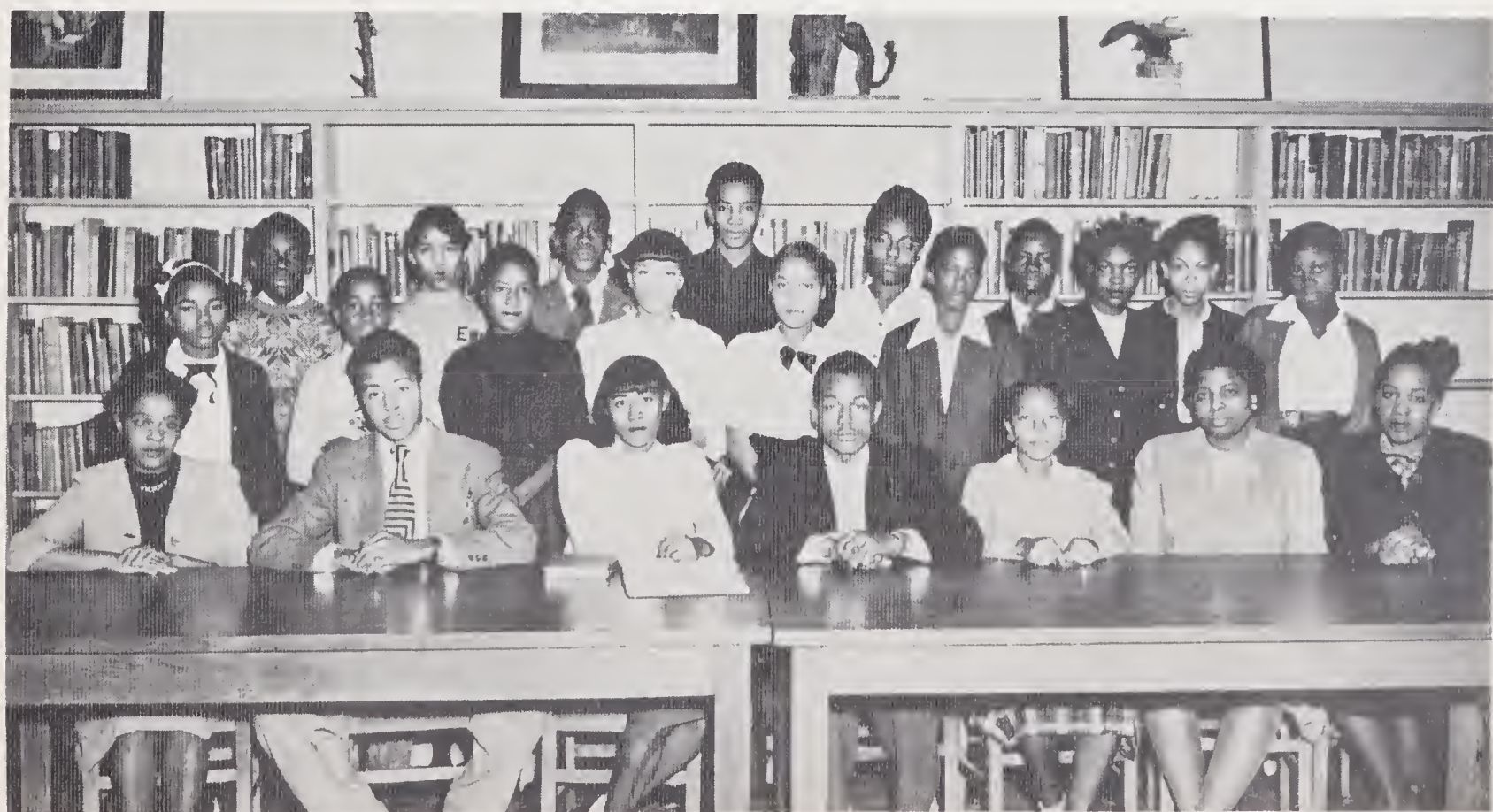
PRICEAN STAFF

Seated from left to right: Viola Hargrave, Jessie Long, Willette Miller, Perry Leazer, Joelene Pryor, Minnye Littlejohn, Albert Reid, Betty Hart. Standing left to right: Walter Evans, Arthur Pemberton, Advisor: Mrs. Q. V. Sutton, Maxine Ormond, Robert Reese.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Seated left to right: Aurelia Tinsley, Henry Giles; Vice-President, Viola Hargrave; Secretary, Walter Evans; Assistant Secretary, Ruthenia Thompson, Advisor; Mrs. A. A. Lancaster, Mary B. Stinson. First Row, standing, left to right: Dorothy Johnson, Robert Gaither, Eleanor Stewart, Marian Sharpe, Betty McKinney, Charles Hunt, Minetta Harris, Permilla Harris. Second Row: Henry Watson, Willette Miller, Jesse Ormond, Daniel Sharpe, Mary L. Perkins, Odell Camps, Ora Jackson.

Not Pictured: Albert Reid, President.





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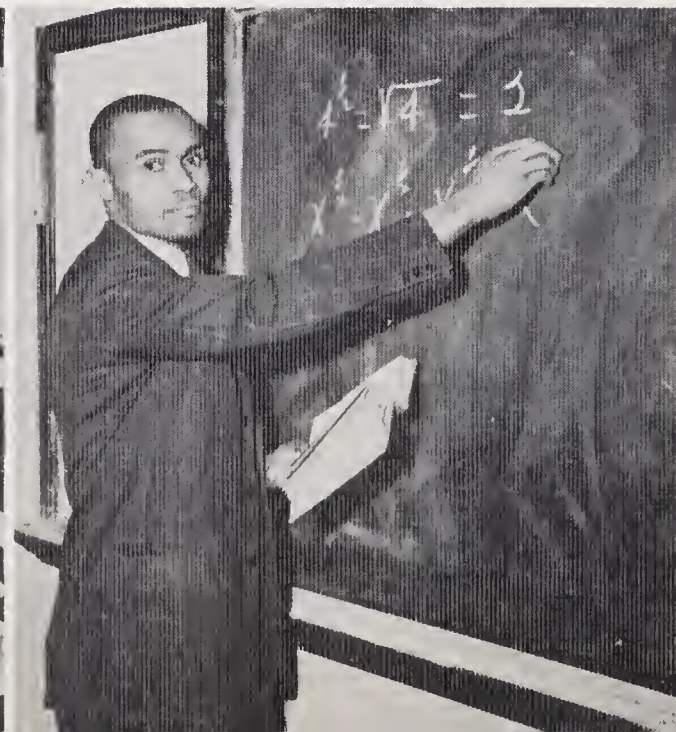


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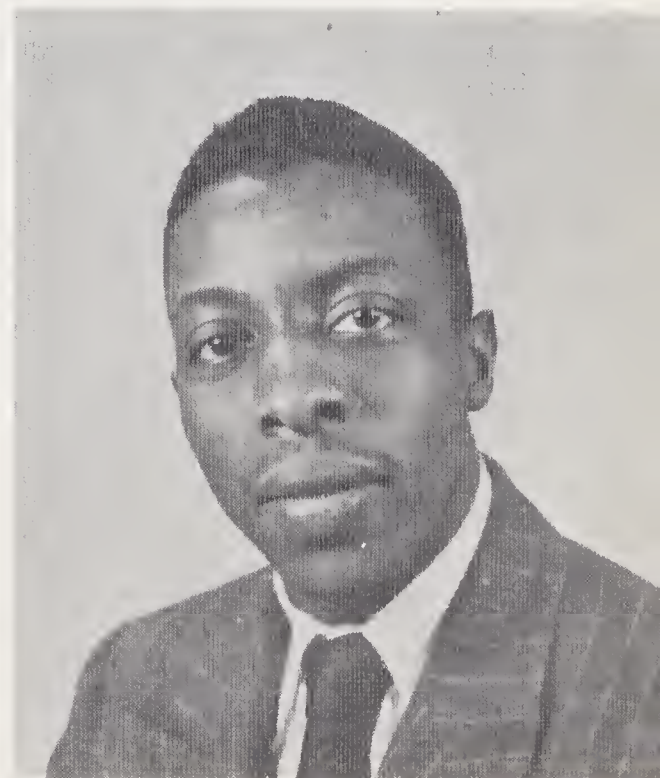
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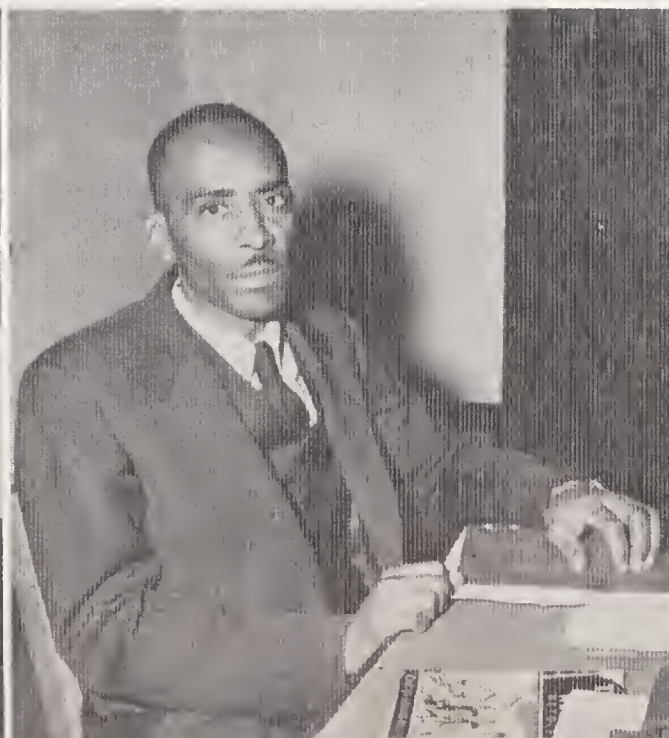
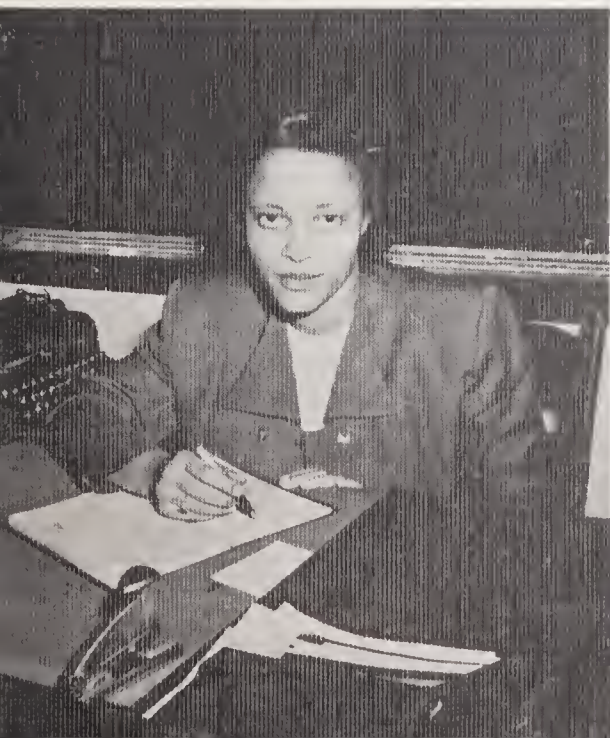


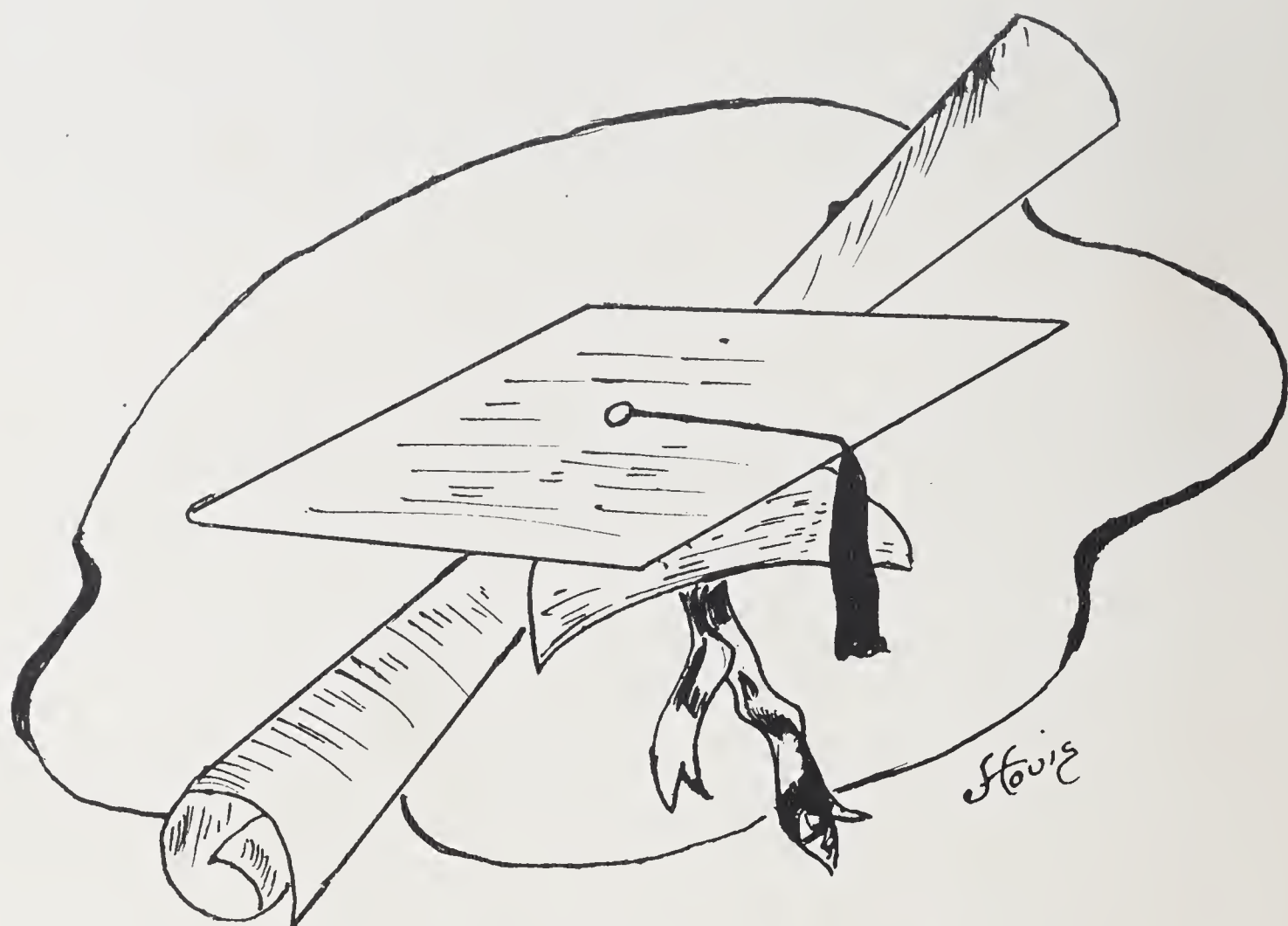
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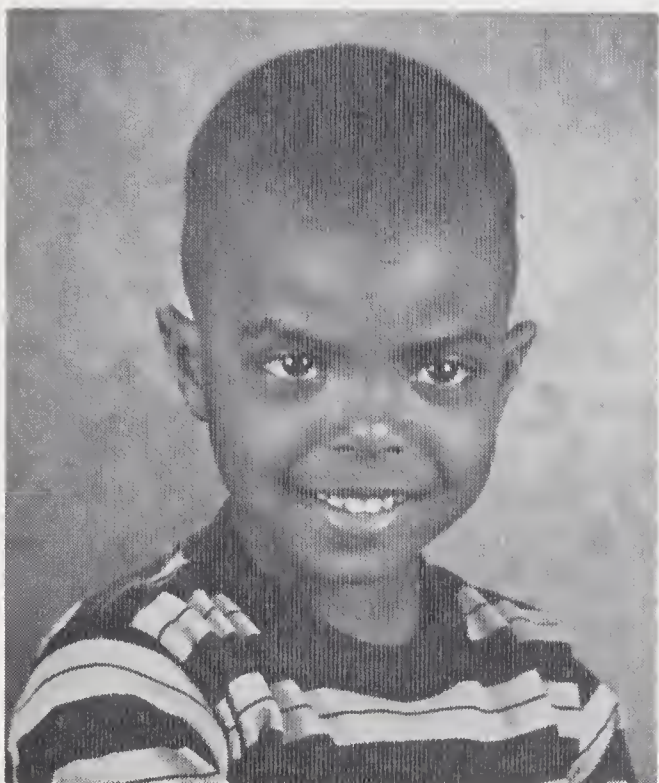
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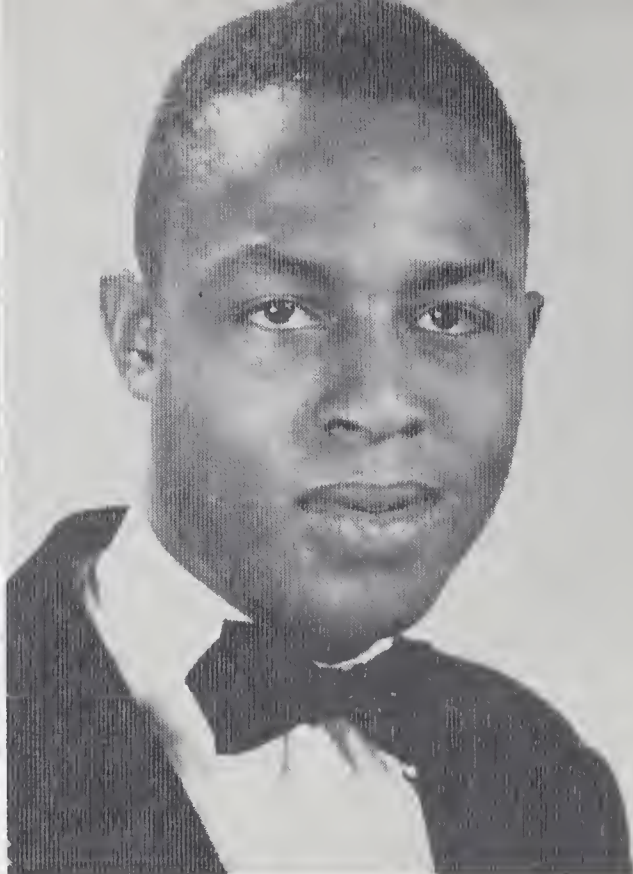
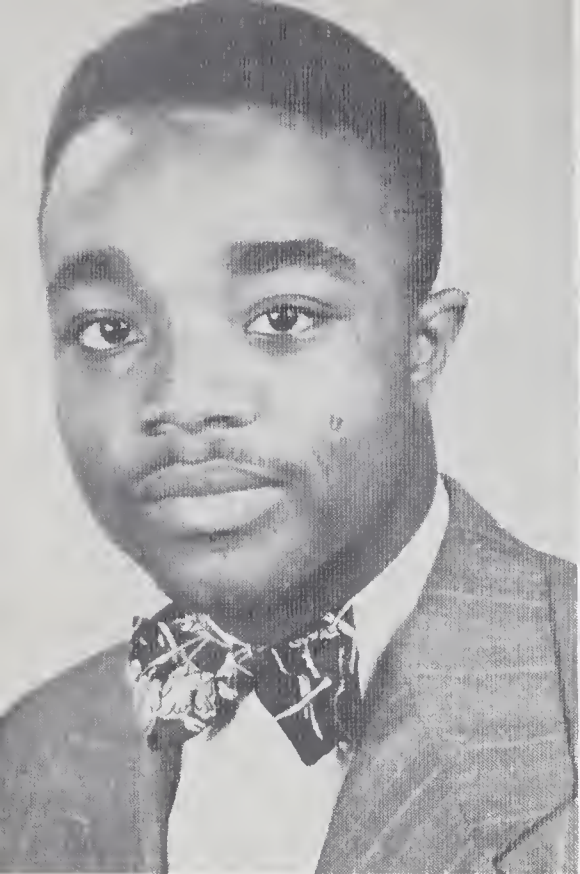
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BOWMAN ALDRICH

"My life is useless unless it is helpful to someone else."
F.C.A.

WILLIAM ALDRICH

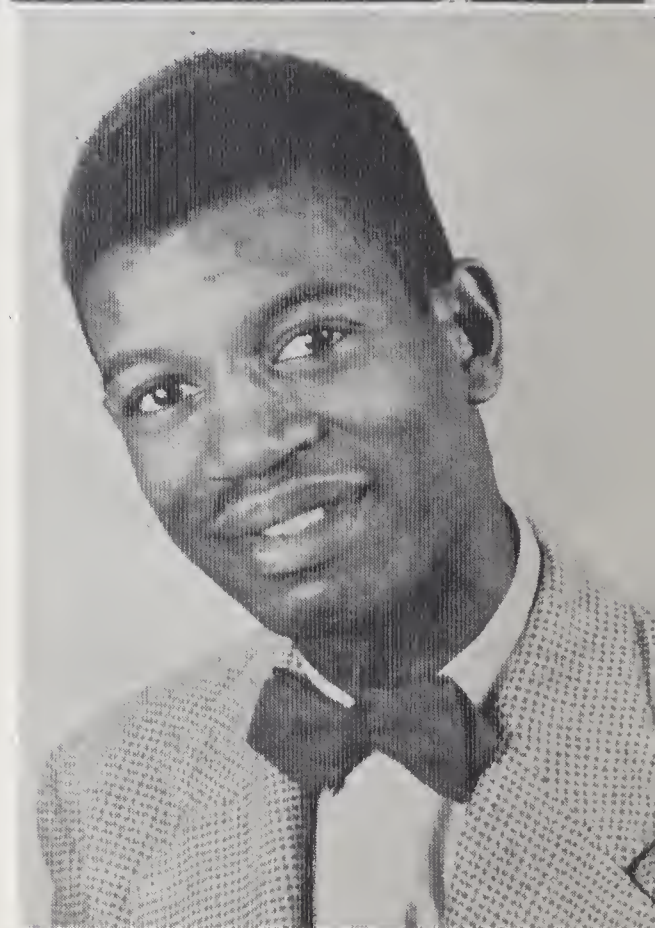
"BILL"

"Attempt the end and never stand to doubt."
F.C.A.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER

"PIG"

"Let every man look before he leaps."
Hi-Y, Crown and Sceptre, Big Brothers.



LEVI BARGER

"BAGGY"

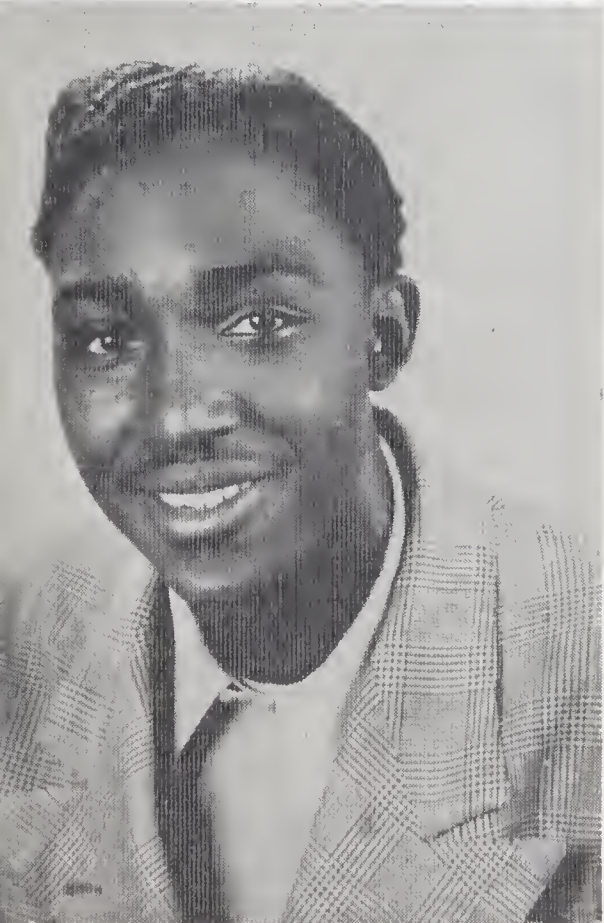
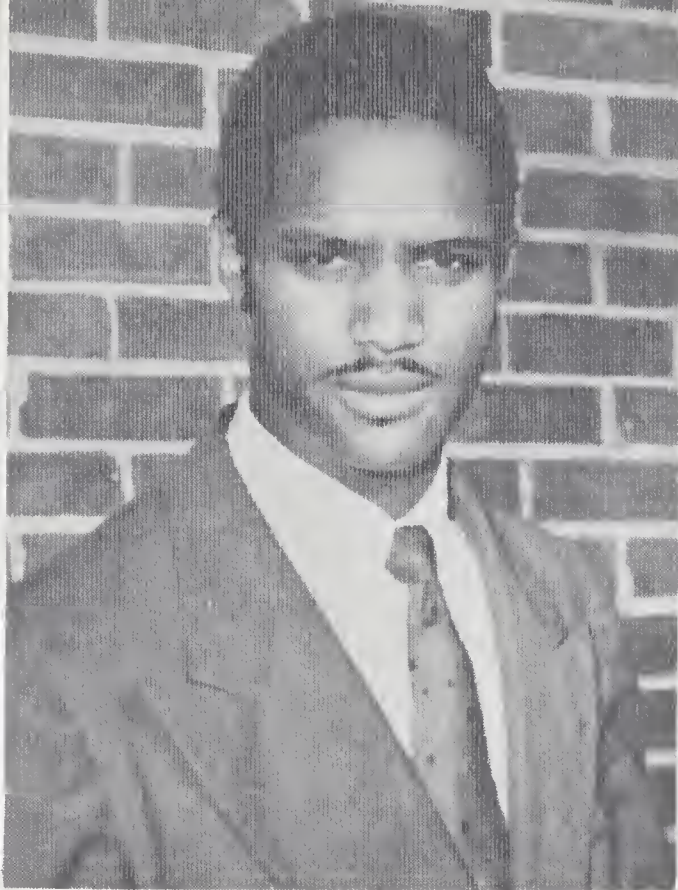
"No success without labor."
Crown and Sceptre, Big Brothers, Basketball.

ALTON BARNETTE

"COOT"

"The reward of a thing well done is to have done it."
Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club.





MYRTLE BEATTY

"MERT"

"Love is ever the beginning of knowledge, as fire is of light."

Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, I.D.K.

HOWARD BELL

"WEESE"

"Take gifts with a sigh; most men give to be paid."

Big Brothers, Glee Club, Football.

RUTH BENNETT

"RUTHIE"

"The secret of success is constancy to purpose."

Dramatics.

CARL BROWN

"DIDDY"

"Come let us reason together."

F.C.A.

ERNEST BROWN

"Life is what you make it."

Big Brothers, Glee Club, Crown and Sceptre, Hi-Y, Band.



LUCILLE BROWN

"LU"

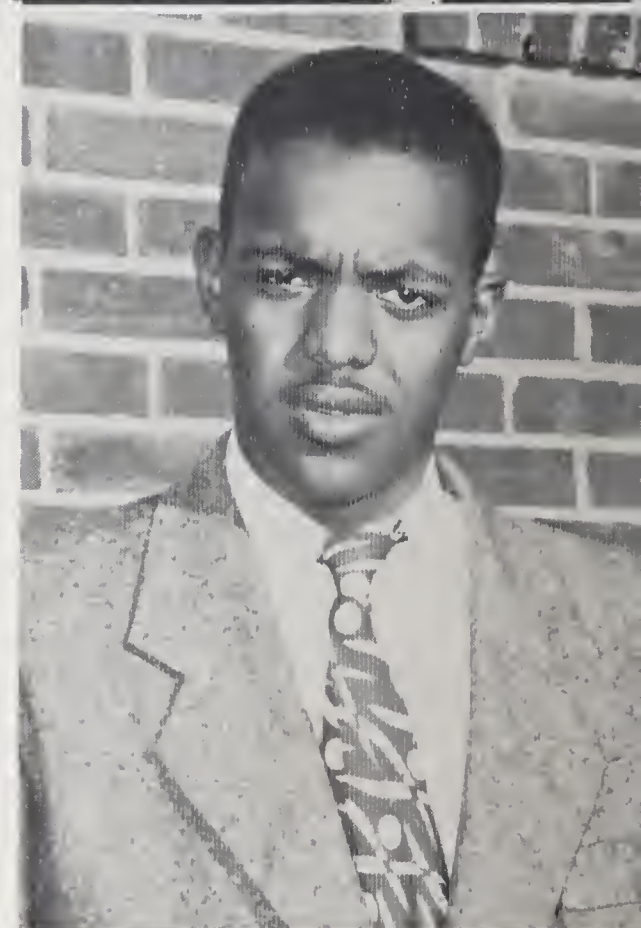
"Without vision, there is no hope."

ERSSELL BUTLER

"ERKY"

"No matter how high the heights I might rise, I shall never forget the depths from which I have risen."

Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre.



MARGARET CARSON

"MARGA"

"If I can stop one heart from aching, I shall not live in vain."

Crown and Sceptre, Big Sisters, N.H.A., Math.

JOSEPH CHILDERS

"JOE"

"They are never alone that are accompanied with noble thoughts."

Big Brothers, Glee Club, Football.

DUNBAR COWAN

"DUN"

"There is no misunderstanding of how to act and how to live."

Big Brothers, Glee Club, Band, Football.





LENA DONALD

"Friends may praise, yet deceive."
Dramatics.

WALTER EVANS

"JIMMY"

"Heights of great men reached and kept."
Big Brothers, Hi-Y, K.P., Dramatics, Math.

GEROY FISHER

"GEE"

"It's better to give than to receive."

LOUIS FLEMING

"FLEMP"

"Chiefly the mold of a man's fortune is in his own hands."
Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, Big Brothers.

MARJORIE FOWLER

"MARGE"

"If you mean to profit; learn to praise."
Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, Basketball,
Band.



RAYFORD GRAHAM

"RAY"

"Do all the good you can, to all the people you can . . ."

WILLIAM GRAVES

"GEEK"

"Few men make themselves masters of the things they write or speak."

Big Brothers, Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, Band, Hi-Y.



VIOLA HARGRAVE

"VICKY"

"Time ripens all things; no man is born wise."

Dramatics, Safety Patrol, Glee Club, Band, N.H.A.

BETTY MAE HART

"BET"

"I will let no man drag me so low as to hate him."

Crown and Sceptre, Math, Pricean Staff, Big Sisters.

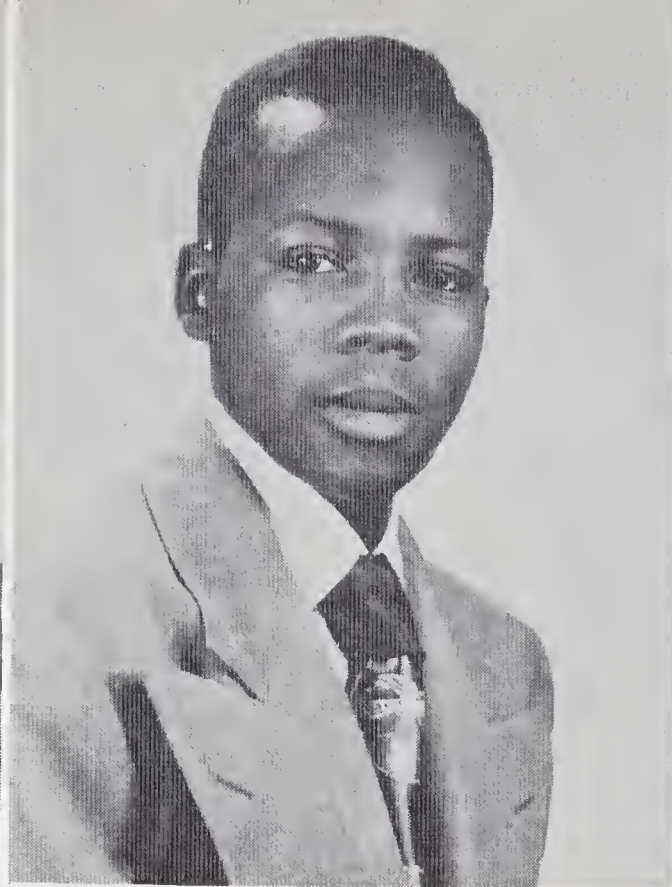
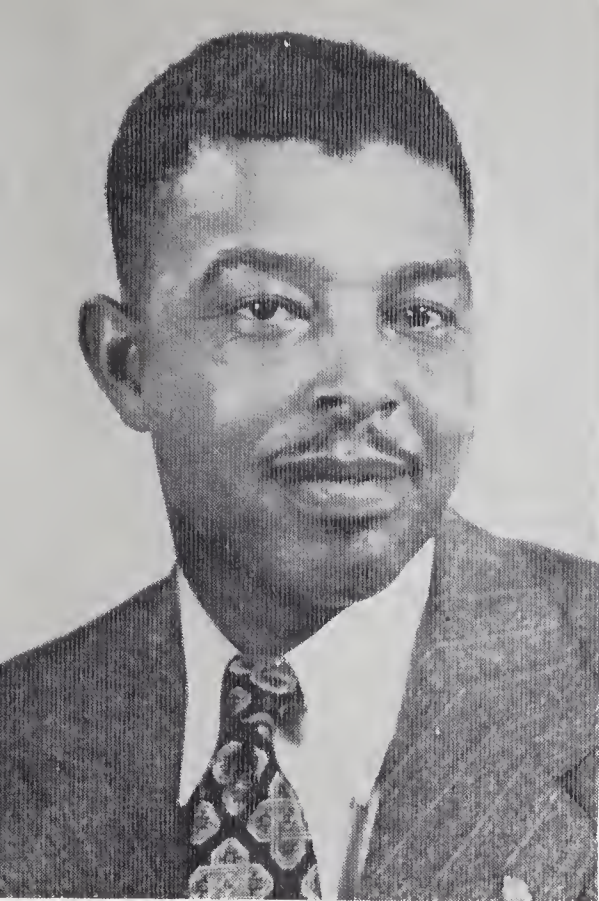
DAVID HART

"DAVE"

"The way to have a friend is to be one."

Big Brothers, Hi-Y, Library Staff.





FRANK HEILIG

"SHANK"

Today we anchor; tomorrow we sail.

RUFUS HOBSON

"PETER"

"Life is not so short but that there is always time for courtesy."

Big Brothers, F.C.A., Hi-Y, Glee Club.

MAXINE HOOVER

"MAC"

"Honor and shame under no conditions rise."

N.H.A., Big Sisters, I.D.K., Crown and Sceptre.

DOROTHY HOWELL

"DOTTY"

"All that I am or hope to be, I owe to my God and to my parents."

Glee Club.

MARTHA KERR

"MART"

"Knowledge is proud that he has learned so much; wisdom is humble that he knows no more."

Dramatics, Basketball, I.D.K., Glee Club, N.H.A.



MARY LOUISE KERR

"SAS"

"Knowledge is more than equivalent to force."

Dramatics, Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, N.H.A., Math.

ROBERT KERR

"ROB"

"Our business in the field of fight is not the question, but to prove our might."

Big Brothers, F.C.A., Hi-Y, Football.

AUDREY KIRKSEY

"BRUTUS"

"Everyone can master a grief, but he who has it."

Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, Dramatics.

PERRY LEAZER

"SHEP"

"There is nothing either good or bad, but thinking makes it so."

Big Brothers, Pricean Staff, Basketball and Football Trainer.

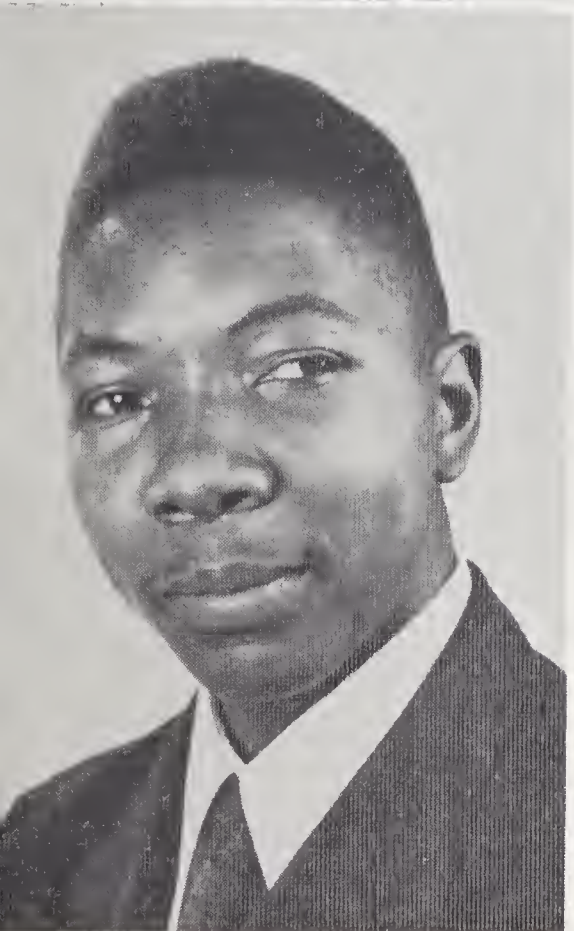
MINNYE LITTLEJOHN

"LITTLE BIT"

"A woman of true virtue is God's greatest gift to man."

Crown and Sceptre, Big Sisters, Dramatics, Glee Club, N.H.A.





JESSIE LONG

"Today we are anchored; tomorrow we sail."
Band, Dramatics.

ROSE LYERLY

"We build the ladder by which we climb."
Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, I.D.K., Safety Patrol.

BERNICE MASSEY

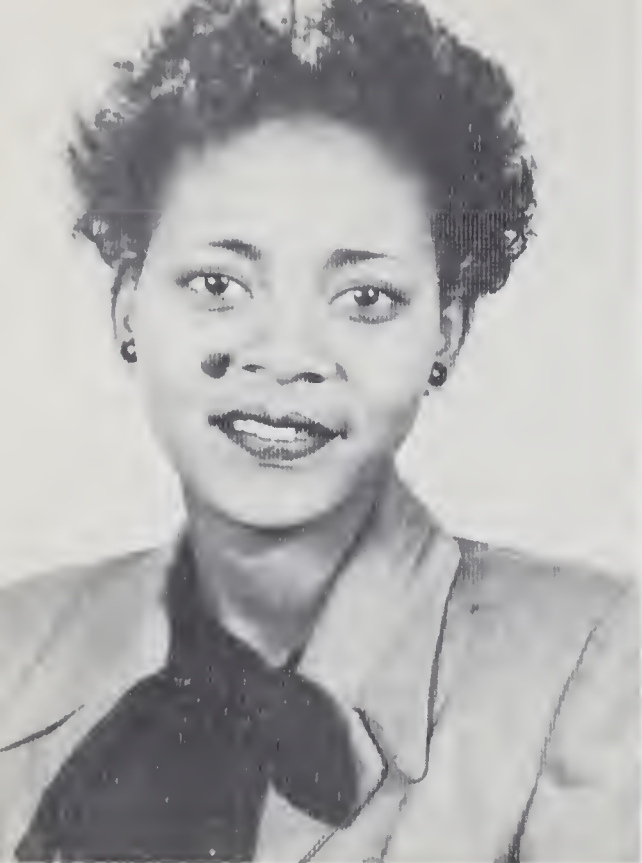
"BERNA"
"Our yesterdays are the blocks with which we build."

CHARLES McKINNEY

"CHICO"
"Nothing is so hard but search will find it out."

DORIS MILLER

"DOT"
"This above all; to thine own self be true."
Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre.



CELESTINE MITCHELL

"CELESTE"

"There is no wisdom like frankness."

Safety Patrol.

MINNIE BELL MITCHELL

"PEE WEE"

"Smile your troubles away."

Crown and Sceptre, Big Sisters, N.H.A., Math, Safety Patrol.

MAE FRANCES MOORE

"FRAN"

"No matter how dark the night, I believe in the coming of the dawn."

Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club.

IRA B. MOSLEY

"BONNIE"

"Ever ready; always prepared."

THEODORE NORRIS

"THEO"

"Variety is the spice of life."

Big Brothers.





MAXINE ORMOND

"MAX"

"If at once you don't succeed, try and try again."

Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, Basketball, Pricean Staff.

DORIS PEAKS

"DOT"

"Self-trust is the first secret to success."

Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre, I.D.K., Glee Club, N.H.A.

ARTHUR PEMBERTON

"PEMP"

"Habit is a cable; we weave a thread of it each day, and it becomes so strong we cannot break it."

Big Brothers, Crown and Sceptre, Hi-Y, K.P., Glee Club.

EDNA POAG

"RED"

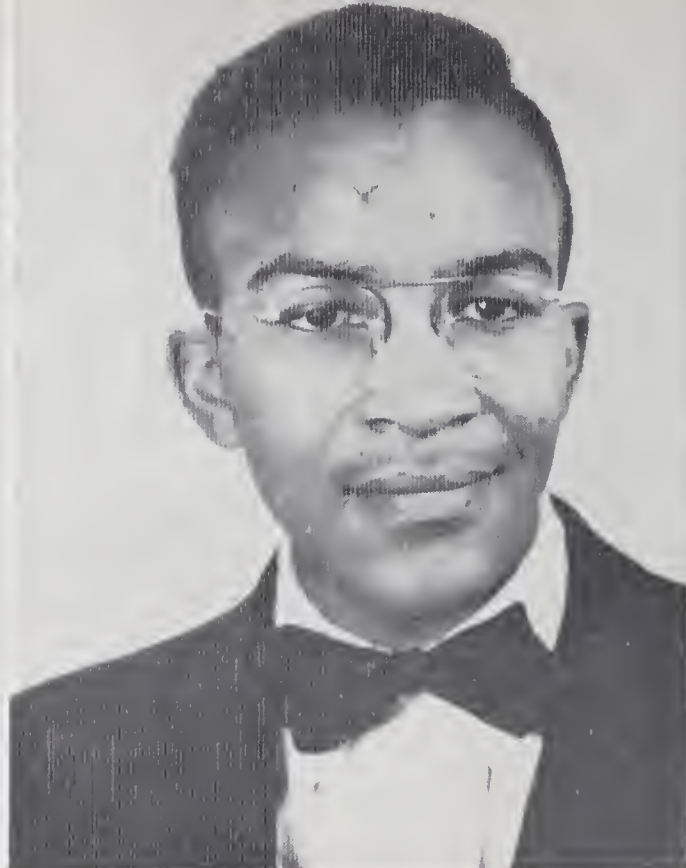
"Minds of great men all remind us . . ."

Crown and Sceptre.

ROBERT PHILLIPS

"ROB"

"Let us make hay while the sun shines."



JOELENE PRYOR
"JOE"

"No pains—no gains."

Crown and Sceptre, Big Sisters, Draamtics, I.D.K., Glee Club.

ROBERT REESE

"We boil at different degrees."

Crown and Sceptre, Big Brothers, Glee Club, Band.

ALBERT REID
"AL"

"Though the paths be dark as night; trust in God and do the right."

Big Brothers, Student Council, Glee Club, Dramatics.

LAURESA ROBINSON
"LA"

"Patience is a necessary ingredient of genius."

Glee Club, Dramatics.

MILDRED ROSS
"MIL"

"He who steals my purse—steals trash; but he who robs me of my name—robs me of all that I have."





SAMUEL ROSS

"SAM"

"Our business in the field of building is not question, but to prove our might."

THEODORE ROSENBOROUGH

"TED"

"There will be peace, where everyone is free."

DANIEL SHARPE

"DAN"

"You may delay but time will not."

Big Brothers, Crown and Sceptre, Dramatics.

RICHARD SHERRILL

"FEET"

"A blessed companion is a book."

Big Brothers, Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club, K.P.

DOROTHY SILER

"DOT"

"The only jewel that will not decay is knowledge."



BILLY J. SMOOT

"Little things affect little minds."

Safety Patrol.



HATTIE STEELE

"MAE"

"There is no misunderstanding of how to act and how to live."

Crown and Sceptre, Dramatics, Loan Association, Math. Club.



ELEANOR STEWART

"EL"

"Give to the world the best that you have . . ."

Student Council.



MARY B. STINSON

"Jo"

"Know thyself; before judging others."

Student Council.

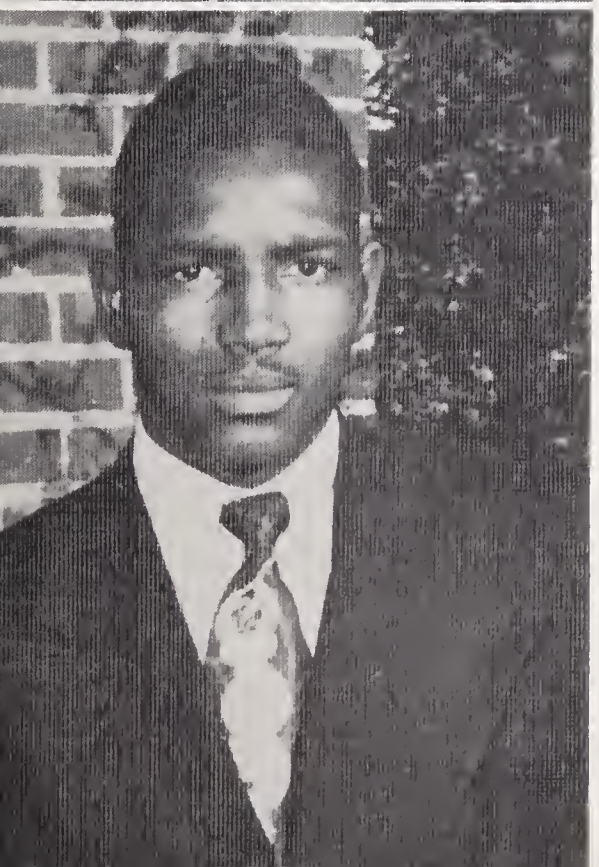
FELECIA THOMPSON

"CHEE-CHEE"

"Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

I.D.K., N.H.A., Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre, Dramatics.





AURELIA TINSLEY

Big Sisters, Crown and Sceptre, Student Council.

RUTH NOVELLA TUGMAN

"TUG"

"Music is well said to be the speech of angels."

CALVESTER TURNER

"CAL"

"Building for a greater tomorrow."

MARY FRANCES WEATHERS

"FRANKIE"

"The virtues of society are like the vices of saints."

I.D.K., N.H.A., Big Sisters, Glee Club, Dramatics.

HARRISON WIGGINS

"HACK"

"Push on—keep on moving."

Big Brothers, Glee Club.



MARTHA WILKINS

"MART"

"True worth is in being, not seeming."

Crown and Sceptre, Glee Club,
Big Sisters, Basketball.



DOROTHY WILSON

"DOT"

"The world is a wheel and it will come round right."

Basketball, Girl Scouts.



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Reading left to right: Eleanor Stewart: Assistant Secretary, Viola Hargrave: Secretary, Richard Sherrill: President, Felecia Thompson: Vice-President, and Doris Miller: Treasurer.

CLASS HISTORY '49

Our time has come. After four years of heartaches and joys we have come to the end of our high school days.

It seems as if it were yesterday when we were freshmen, 80 in number. Yes, we were freshmen, fresh and ready to get a start. Mr. W. L. Miller and Mrs. Wetonah Walker were our advisors. We had student representatives on the Safety Patrol, Student Council, Dramatics Club and Glee Club.

At the beginning of the second semester we greeted 30 students who passed the state examination and were promoted to our class. Their advisor was Mrs. Simmons Sutton. We pushed forward seeking higher knowledge. At the end of the school term we adjourned for our summer vacation.

On entering our second year at Price High School, we found that eight of our classmates did not return. They were Lois Adams, Alfonso Evans, Florine Barnes, Doris Hall, Sallye Trott, Margarita Jenkins, Gloria Davidson, and Rezina Brown. However we were very happy to organize under the supervision of our teachers of the latter year. Our presidents for that year were Eleanor Stewart, Steveson Gilmore, and Felecia Thompson. In the middle of the term Charles Sharpe was promoted to the eleventh grade.

This year we had students represented on the football team, Glee Club, Dramatics Club, Math Club and many others. Mary L. Kerr won second prize in the Fire Prevention Essay Contest. We were pleased with our achievements and had a desire to continue climbing the ladder of success. Thus, we ended our sophomore year.

Our junior year found us striving to reach our long sought for and worth while goal. Our advisors were Mrs. Wetonah Walker, Mr. S. W. Lancaster and Miss Viola Taylor. Our presidents were Albert Reid, Mary F. Weathers and Felecia Thompson. We were 88 in number. On entering school we found that many of our schoolmates did not return. Jessie Rudisill, Onnie Ellis, Theodosia Morrison, and Marian Hall entered school elsewhere. Ossie Wansley, Ollie Tatum and Viola Smith were among those who did not return. Very unfortunately, Andrew Mitchell and Costella McKnight died.

However, we had four new students to join us. They were Annie R. Parks, Lillian Colson, Mary Bell Stinson and Sim Colson. This year, Dorothy Howell was crowned "Miss Price" at the annual homecoming game. Joeline Pryor won first prize in the Fire Prevention Essay Contest while Minnye Littlejohn won first prize in the Oratorical Contest. Finally the year was ended.

Finally we found ourselves Seniors. Yes, dignified, sophisticated and of course, Superior Seniors.

We were joined by fourteen people from the Veterans and night school classes. Those from the veteran class are Harry Fisher, Geroy Fisher, Rayford Graham, Frank Heilig, Robert Phillips, Jacob Poe, Samuel Ross, Calvester Turner, E. V. Venson, Theodore Rosenborough and Lionel Rippy. Those who joined us from the night school are Mrs. Mae Troy Smith, Miss Jessie Torrence and Mrs. Ethel Clifton.

The most exciting event of the year was the winning of the "Miss Price" title for our candidate, Viola Hargrave.

The dock of graduation is now in sight with all of us eagerly anticipating the anchoring of the ship. For some, education will continue, for others various responsibilities lie ahead. Whatever our destination we will remember that continuous preparation is necessary, if we desire to maintain our present standard of ambitious, cooperative girls and boys as we have been in the most delightful, entertaining, well used High School Days.

Class Historian,
JOELENE PRYOR

Veterans Bricklaying Class of Price High School

The Veterans bricklaying class of Price High School began on November 16, 1947, with an enrollment of 24, but until now we have only 16 to complete the course.

The purpose of the class was to take a course in bricklaying under the instructions of Mr. Floyd Wilkins. This course required related subjects which were given by Mr. L. H. Hall, Mrs. Victoria Sutton and Mr. William Miller.

The course was to run for 18 months, five days per week and five hours per day. We started the course by learning the use of tools such as trowel, brick hammer, jointer and ruler. We also learned how to mix mortar and what proportions to use on various kinds of work.

After we were able to master all kinds of tools, we began constructing walls, pillars and piers in a simple form. Week after week it was constant practice building up and tearing down until we were able to meet the requirements of the course. Much of our work has received public recognition to the extent that on the thirtieth of May our float won first prize in the parade. We have done work for the City Schools of Salisbury which gave us practice and wonderful progress.

Our Dear Old Price

(TUNE: "My Happiness")

Though the years we've spent with you
Are telling us that we are through,
We will keep on loving you,
Our dear old Price.

Treasuring our memories,
Doors unlocked with just two keys,
That of knowledge and of deeds,
Our dear old Price!

Four years ago we knew
We had this to look forward to,
But now we are blue
For we now must bid you adieu.

We are happy and we're blue;
Happy for we've much to do;
Blue because we're leaving you
Our dear old Price!

MARY LOUISE KERR

CLASS FLOWER

WHITE CARNATION

CLASS COLORS

MAROON AND GRAY

MOTTO

By Faith and Courage, We Conquer

The End Of The Day

As we come to the end of our day
And we gaze on the sun's waning ray,
We think of happy hours and of lessons;
And our minds seek for words of grateful expression.

Four blessed years we have struggled hard,
Yet the grounds and the halls our feet have trod
Seem far too sacred for us to leave,
And our thoughts of going cause us to grieve.

Now as we leave these halls of fame,
We shall always cherish thy great name,
We shall try to live as we have learned,
And for greater service strive to yearn.

For Price, and for race, and for country too;
For Fathers and Mothers whose prayers have come true;
We shall go forth to do our best
That others may strive to stand life's tests.

MILDRED ROSS

CLASS PROPHECY

The years seem to have flown very rapidly by and the class of 1949 has reached its destination, time stands still. Before us is a bright and huge crystal ball, gotten from a very old Arabian fortune teller. As we gaze into the crystal the glare is so bright, we turn away, yet the stars within reveal many great and hopeful things for us.

The glare seems brighter and music seems to float through the air. We hear a strange voice. Dorothy Howell, star at Carnegie Hall in New York City, leaves soon for Paris.

A few blocks below Carnegie Hall we find Daniel Sharpe, as the leading actor at the Little Guild Theatre.

Looking farther away to home, we see Jessie Long as the first Negro Dancining Instructor in Salisbury. Her office being on West Horah Street.

On the opposite side, Rose Lyerly is operating her large Beauty Parlor.

William Graves has built the leading Plumbing Business in Salisbury.

Looking into our many educational institutions we find Maxine Hoover continuing the work of the great mathematician Einstein.

Alton Barnette is back at her Alma Mater, Johnson C. Smith, as History instructor.

Mary Francis Weathers is principal of Weathers Elementary School in China Grove. Working with her is Doris Miller.

Ruth Tugman has returned to Price High, succeeding Mrs. E. B. Riggs Hall, as librarian. Bernice Massey is head of the Home Economics Dept.

David Hart is doing great work in the history field. He is now instructor at Livingstone College.

Ira Mosley is now head of Chicago School of Nursing. Working with her are Dorothy Siler, Dorothy Wilson, and Marjorie Fowler. They are expecting soon Lucille Brown.

Audrey Kirksey is now teaching French at Shaw University, having studied in Paris for several years.

Robert Reese is Dean of Hood Theological Seminary and is also doing concert work in Pennsylvania during vacation periods.

Moving southward, we find Billy Jean Smoot instructing Physical Education at Clark University in Atlanta, Georgia.

The crystal ball now visualizes Mary Belle Stinson as the founder and head of Stinson's Business College. As her assistant she has Eleanor Stewart.

Residing in Hollywood Viola Hargrave is secretary to her doctor husband. They have their office within their home.

William Alexander is doing research work for the Listerine Company.

Doris Peaks is the bacteriologist in a large European University.

Lauressa Robinson is the owner and operator of the Exclusive Beauty Parlor in Florida.

Minnie Littlejohn has just made her debut after the successful showing of "Memories of 49" at Radio City, New York City.

Lena Donald is a prominent pharmacist of Salisbury. She also owns Donalds Drug Store in Asheville.

Bowman Aldrich has secured a position as hair stylist for Lena Horne and other Hollywood actresses.

Looking hopefully into the athletic field we see Carl Brown as star pitcher for the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Richard Sherrill is playing pro-Basketball with the New York Wrens.

To keep the public well informed on sports, we find Perry Leazer as Sports Editor for New York Times, with Joseph Childers and Dunbar Cowan helping him.

Robert Kerr has succeeded his father as a building contractor.

Ernest Brown is head of Brown's Home and Real Estate Company, his businesses being in the larger cities of N. C.

Walter Evans has done exceedingly well in law business. He has just opened his office on 52nd Street in New York.

As we gaze into the social world, we can see Rufus Hobson as head of Hobson's Nite Clubs in Chicago, Illinois.

Harrison Wiggins has greatly used himself in becoming Salisbury's leading business man. He has just finished "The 4S Club" for young people.

Celestine Mitchell can be seen on many book covers. She is now a model for Powers Model, Inc.

Betty Hart is superintendent of the Hart School of Business in Seattle, Washington.

Levi Barger is heavyweight champion of the world and uses Theodore Norris as his business manager.

Martha Kerr is a happily married lady with a rich husband and five fine boys. Besides caring for her boys she manages an all-star girls basketball team which travels in many other states of America.

Brodie Graham has been added to the Salisbury police force and has done much to make Lee Street the quietest street of the city. During off hours he is manager of the Howard Bell Barber Shop Quartet which broadcasts on Station W.R.O.N.G. three times a week.

Edna Kerns is owner and manager of Edna Sweet Shop which sells candy all over the state.

Charles McKinney and Louis Fleming are prominent undertakers. Their motto is "We Make You Look Natural."

Maxine Ormond and Myrtle Beatty have set up a girls' college in Liberia, West Africa. They have both received international awards in their work.

Margaret Carson is dean of women at Bennett College.

Hattie Steele is married to an automobile salesman and spends most of her time traveling in new cars.

William Aldrich runs a furniture factory which is said to be the largest in the South.

Mary Louise Kerr is head of the English Department at Price High School, succeeding Mrs. Q. V. Sutton.

Felecia Thompson has obtained the position of science director at Price High School succeeding Mr. J. W. Nicholson.

Joelene Pryor is Assistant Manager of N. Y. Interior Decorating School and plans to operate a school of her own in Salisbury.

Albert Reid is now head of the Mathematics Department at Pennsylvania. At the University we find Minnie Mitchell as Registrar.

Martha Wilkins has recently completed "Wilkins Stitch & Sew Shop" in Salisbury.

Mildred Ross is the director of City Kindergarten in Norfolk, Virginia, and expects to secure a job in Salisbury.

Ruth Bennett is assisting Prof. O. C. Hall at Price High School, succeeding Miss Nettie Sue Samuels, as secretary.

Harris Johnson has recently been connected with the F.B.I. in working against crime and juvenile delinquency.

Ersell Butler and Mary Frances Moore have just completed "The Glamour Shop" for high schoolers. They plan to add a "Tots Shop."

Arther Pemberton has recently been appointed as president of N. C. State College.

Mrs. Aurelia Tinsley has moved to Los Angeles, California with her husband and three children. She has opened a Delicatessen Shop near the uptown area.

Clinton Cowan has been made manager of Purcell's. It is now known as Cowans Purcell's.

Harry and Geroy Fisher are opening a Donut Shoppe on Monroe Street, they will also have coffee and sandwiches.

Mrs. Mae Troy Smith has been appointed head of the P.T.A. of America.

Mrs. Jessie Torrence has opened Torrence's Bible Institute in Asheville.

Mrs. Ethel Clifton has a state-wide baking and specialty job, that takes place within her home.

Raymond Graham and Frank Heilig are contractors for the L. S. Bradshaw Company.

Robert Phillips, Samuel Ross, and E. V. Vinson are constructing a Barbecue specialty in E. Spencer and Salisbury.

Lionel Rippy and Theodore Rosenborough are special contractors for building brick homes.

The pictures in the crystal ball grow faint. As I look a little nearer I see only a jumble of letters and figures. They seem to dance together. Ah, they are now forming. This is what they say: "You have come to the end of the prophecy of the illustrious class of 1949. Until these prophecies become true and even after they do or do not, May God's riches and blessings rest on you one and all."

MARY BELLE STINSON

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of Price High School, saying farewell to this school and its members and being of sound mind and body, do hereby make and declare this our Last Will and Testament.

Article I

To our principal, Mr. O. C. Hall, we leave our sincere appreciation and our happy memories of "dear ole Price."

To Mrs. Sutton and Mrs. Lancaster, our homeroom teachers, we leave our fondest affection and our respects for helping us struggle through our last year in High School.

To the other teachers, we leave our appreciation for their encouraging efforts for five years.

Article II

To the Freshmen, we leave our best wishes for three more years of "smooth sailing."

To the Sophomores, we leave our determinations to strive for the highest goal in life.

To the Juniors, we leave the name, "Seniors of Dignity," hoping that they will not let it down.

Article III

To the following:

I, Doris Peaks, do will and bequeath my position as official basketball trainer to Lucille Graves.

We, Bernice Massey and Robert Kerr, will our ability to "jitterbug" to Willie Mae Smith and Edgar Hatwood.

I, Viola Hargrave, bequeath my popularity to Esther Phillips, my majorette steps to Marian Sharpe and my interest in extra-curricular activities to Mary Frances Hasty.

We, Minnye Littlejohn and Albert Reid, will our dramatic ability to Carrie Bell Ware and Clarence Davis.

I, Richard Sherrill, will my height to Walter Corry (hoping he will stop striking me at my waistline).

We, William Graves and Ira B. Mosely, leave our sizes to Julius Rippy.

I, Daniel Sharpe, do bequeath my handsomeness and my "ways with the girls" to James Earl Milton.

I, Celestine Mitchell, will my neatness to Orrie Harris.

We, Martha Kerr and Dorothy Wilson, leave our positions on the basketball team to Beth Hunt and Gwendolyn Currence.

I, Myrtle Beatty will my alto voice to Willette Miller.

We, Walter Evans and Dorothy Howell will our musical talents to Washington Kitchen.

I, Howard Bell, will all of my talents to Roy Burney and my hair to anyone who will relieve me of it.

I, Perry Leazer, will my ability to write sport news to Charles Teamer.

I, Mary Belle Stinson, will my ability to talk when it is necessary and at the right place to Abna Reid and Joyce Carson and my esteem of Miss Samuel to everyone.

We, Dunbar Cowan and Joseph Childers, leave our bass voices to Ernest Fisher (hoping two voices will stop him from singing soprano).

I, Arthur Pemberton, leave my dignity to Eugene Wansley.

We, Betty Hart, Maxine Ormond and Hattie Steele, bequeath our stenographic ability and places in the Crown and Sceptre Club to Annie Lee Roberts, Dorothy Mae Davis, and Minetta Harris.

We, Eleanor Stewart and Doris Miller, leave our affectionate ways to Arthur Mae Reid and Marian Sharpe.

We, Alton Barnette and Audrey Kirksey, bequeath our places in the Glee Club to Louise Johnson and Dorothy E. Davis.

I, Joeline Pryor, will all my talents to Leathia Mae Wilks.

I, Rufus Hobson, bequeath my ability to keep a girl friend and my friendly disposition to Burl Alexander.

I, Felecia Thompson leave my oratorical ability to Lucille Graves.

I, Maxine Hoover, bequeath my mathematical ability to Laurissa McConneaughey.

I, Robert Reese, will my General Business notes to Samuel Davis.

We, Carl Brown and Lois Fleming, bequeath our artistic abilities to Edgar Hatwood and Roy Jordan.

I, Martha Wilkins, will my position on the basketball team to Ada Partee and my gain to any face that needs it most.

I, Mary Frances Weathers, leave my position as president of the Big Sisters to Willie Mae Smith.

I, Mildred Ross, will my ability to translate French to Cora Stafford.

I, Mae Frances Moore, will my hair styles and jolly disposition to Ruby Ware.

We, Bowman and William Aldrich, will our memberships in the FCA to Clarence Brown and Cleveland Addison.

I, Ernest Brown, leave my ability to blow a trumpet to Benny Gaston.

I, Charles McKinney, bequeath my art of staying out of trouble and my ability to make good grades to Steve Gilmore.

We, Margaret Carson and Minnie Mitchell, leave our places in the NHA to Laura Frances Henry and Willette Harris.

We, Edna Kerns and Dorothy Siler, will our quiet dispositions to Doris McClain and Elizabeth McKee.

We, Majorie Fowler and Jessie Long, will our positions as majorettes to Francella Jolly, Mary E. Fisher and Abna Reid.

We, Rose Lyerly and Lauressa Robinson, will our sizes to Lorene Simpson and Mary Lillian Perkins.

I, Harrison Wiggins, will my big mouth to anyone who is capable of using it twenty-four hours without getting into trouble.

I, Lena Donald, bequeath my place in the Dramatic Club to Voncile Harris.

I, William Alexander, bequeath my place in the Crown and Sceptre Club and my ability to get along with everyone to Earl Peaks.

I, Levi Barger, bequeath my position on the basketball team and my membership in the Crown & Sceptre Club to Samuel Davis.

I, David Hart, will my job in the Library and my grades in Negro History to Audrey Childers.

I, Theodore Norris, leave my quietness to William Wakefield.

We, Ruth Bennette, Billie Jean Smoot and Ruth Tugman, will our helpfulness to the teachers and our places on the Safety Patrol to Patsy Hunt and Isabel Doran.

I, Lucille Brown, will my ability to keep house and continue in school to Ruth Dixon.

I, Erssell Butler, bequeath my place as Big Sister and in the Crown and Sceptre Club to Odessa Carson.

I, Aurelia Tinsley, will my kindness and pleasing personality to all future Big Sisters.

I, Brodie Graham, leave my athletic ability to Ray Hairston.

We, Harry Fisher, Geroy Fisher, Rayford Graham, Frank Heilig, Robert Phillips, Jacob Poe, Samuel Ross, Calvester Turner, E. V. Venson, Theodore Rosenborough and Lionel Rippy, will our desire to get an education to all Salisbury GI's who haven't had the will power to follow us.

We, Mrs. Mae Troy Smith, Miss Jessie Torrence and Mrs. Ethel Clifton, will our determination and our patience to the many ladies who have stopped school and want to come back.

Finally, I, Mary Louise Kerr, do hereby will and bequeath my place in the tenor section to James Brown, my position as President of the Crown and Sceptre Club to Beth Hunt and my responsibility of the Christmas Seal Project for two years to Willette Miller (hoping each of them will do a much better job than I).

We, now set our seal and signature this 31st day of January, in the year of one thousand, nine hundred and forty-nine.

Class of '49

MARY LOUISE KERR, Testator.

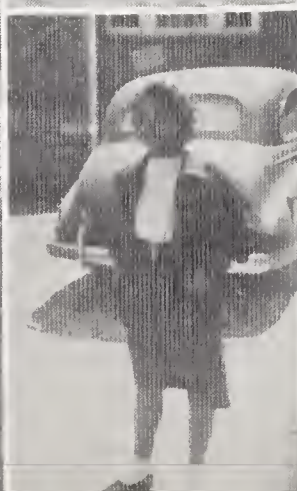
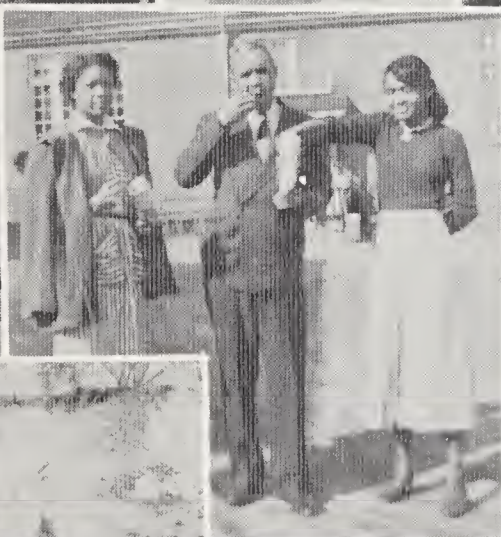
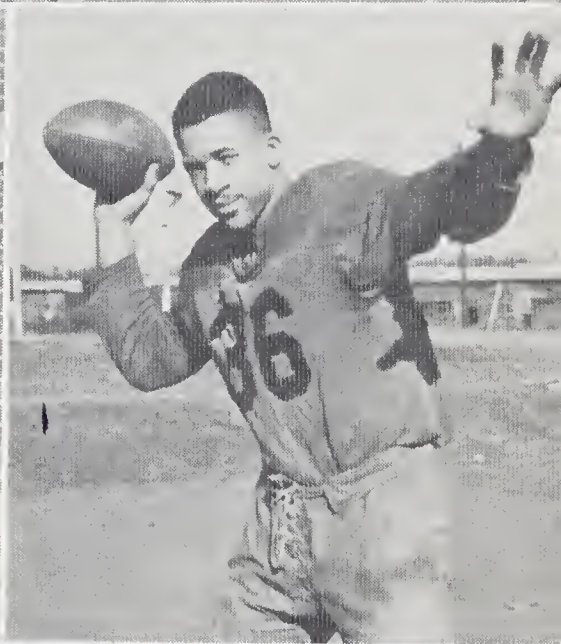
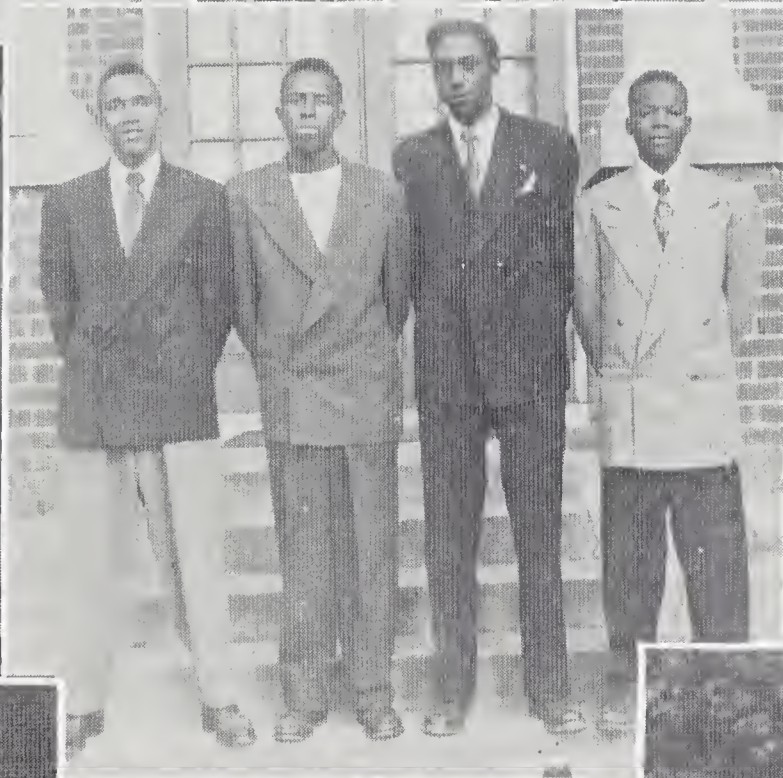
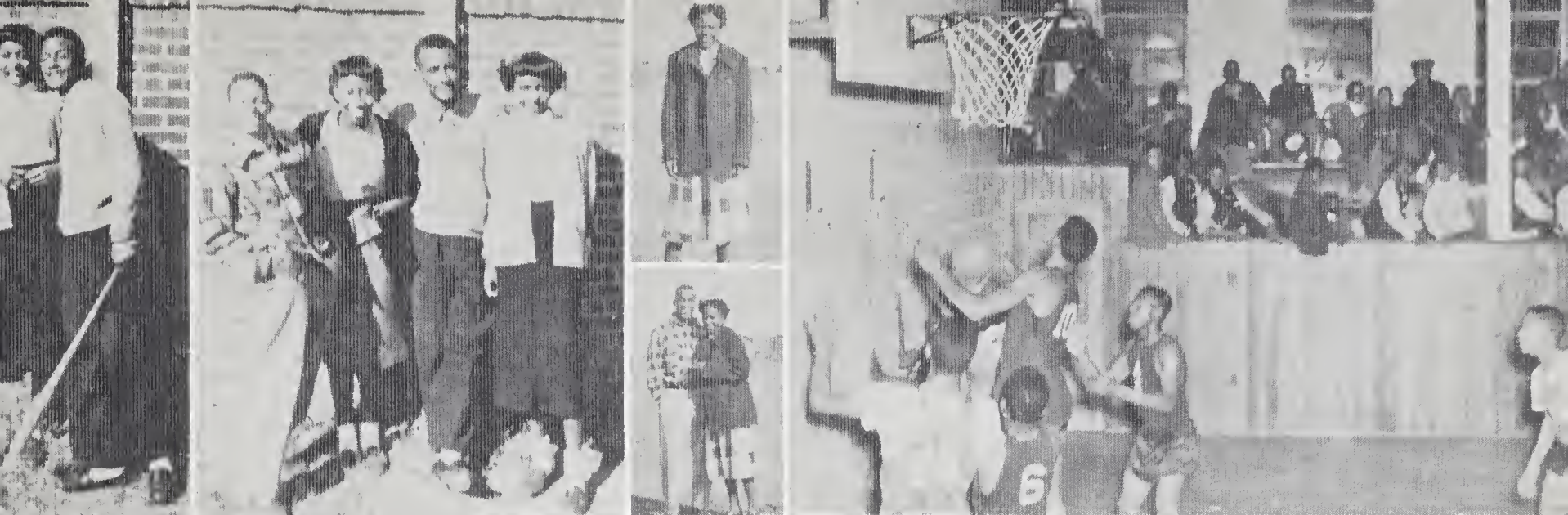
Witnesses: DORIS PEAKS, MRS. SUTTON, MRS. LANCASTER.

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

<i>Prettiest Girl</i>	MINNYE LITTLEJOHN
<i>Most Handsome Boy</i>	DANIEL SHARPE
<i>Sweetest</i>	DORIS MILLER & RUFUS HOBSON
<i>Most Athletic</i>	MARTHA KERR & ALBERT REID
<i>Most Talented</i>	MARY L. KERR & HOWARD BELL
<i>Best All-Round</i>	JOELENE PRYOR & ALBERT REID
<i>Neatest</i>	DORIS MILLER & CARL BROWN
<i>Best Dressed</i>	CELESTINE MITCHELL & RUFUS HOBSON
<i>Cutest</i>	IRA MOSLEY & WILLIAM GRAVES
<i>Friendliest</i>	DORIS PEAKS & WILLIAM GRAVES
<i>Wittiest</i>	MARTHA WILKINS & HARRISON WIGGINS
<i>Biggest Flirts</i>	MINNYE LITTLEJOHN & ALBERT REID
<i>Most Bashful</i>	DOROTHY SILER & DAVID HART
<i>Most Popular</i>	VIOLA HARGRAVE & RICHARD SHERRILL
<i>Babies-Of-The-Class</i>	JESSIE LONG & ERNEST BROWN
<i>Most Likely To Succeed</i>	BETTY HART & ARTHUR PEMBERTON
<i>Most Courteous</i>	MARY F. WEATHERS & ARTHUR PEMBERTON
<i>Laziest</i>	JESSIE LONG & HARRISON WIGGINS
<i>Most Dignified</i>	ELEANOR STEWART & LOUIS FLEMING
<i>Most Studious</i>	BETTY HART & DAVID HART
<i>Most Dependable</i>	BETTY HART & ROBERT REESE
<i>Best Personality</i>	DORIS MILLER & ROBERT REESE
<i>Most Dramatic</i>	MINNYE LITTLEJOHN & ALBERT REID
<i>Most Musical</i>	MARY L. KERR & WALTER EVANS
<i>Best Vocalist</i>	DOROTHY HOWELL & DUNBAR COWAN
<i>Best Sports</i>	MARTHA WILKINS & WILLIAM ALEXANDER
<i>Tallest</i>	MARTHA WILKINS & RICHARD SHERRILL
<i>Most Business Like</i>	MARY BELL STINSON & ROBERT REESE
<i>Most Cooperative</i>	MARY L. KERR & WILLIAM ALEXANDER
<i>Most Poetic</i>	MILDRED ROSS & ERNEST BROWN
<i>Biggest Filibusters</i>	FELECIA THOMPSON & ARTHUR PEMBERTON
<i>Most Intellectual</i>	JOELENE PRYOR & ALBERT REID
<i>Quietest</i>	EDNA POAG & LEVI BARGER

SONG TITLES PRICEANIZED

"I'm Nervous"	Test Day
"Long Gone"	Study Period
"Bewildered"	Report Card
"Recess In Heaven"	Socializing on Campus
"Blues After Hours"	Basketball Games
"I Got A Right To Cry"	Before the Discipline Committee
"I Love You, Yes I Do"	Lunch Period
"Margie"	The Attractive Senior Girls
"Fine Brown Frame"	The Shapely Senior Girls
"Go Long"	Football Team
"I Need You"	Money
"Is It Too Soon To Know"	Graduation
"You Can't Be True"	Puppy Lovers
"Good Rocking Tonight"	Junior-Senior Prom
"Early In The Morning"	I Hate to Get Up
"Pig Latin Song"	The French Class
"Am I Asking Too Much"	Good Grades
"Hop Skip And Jump"	School Socials
"Summertime"	Rest Again
"Just In Case You Change Your Mind"	Teacher
"Maybe You'll Be There"	Honor Roll
"Now Is The Hour"	Commencement
"Confessing"	Senior Class
"Beg Your Pardon"	Faculty
"Pleasing You"	Mr. Hall
"Rock Bottom"	Safety Patrols
"Jump Jack Jump"	Band
"As You Desire Me"	N.H.A.
"My Darling"	Crown & Sceptre
"Dreaming"	The Future
"A Little Bird"	Student Council
"My Happiness"	Dramatic
"A Tree In The Meadow"	Biology Field Trips
"I Can't Go On Without You"	Dear Ole Price



THANK YOU TEACHERS

We, the Seniors of '49, wish to express our gratitude to the teachers of Price High School for their untiring efforts to make our high school years a complete success.

Your patience, your guidance, and your words of comfort and advice when we were despondent and didn't know how to make a decision will forever live in the hearts and minds of the class of '49.

To our principal, Mr. O. C. Hall, and to our homeroom advisors, Mrs. Lancaster and Mrs. Sutton, we are especially indebted. You and all of our other teachers can rest assured that your efforts have not been in vain.

THANK YOU PARENTS

We, the members of the graduating class of 1949, realize the sacrifices of our parents during our twelve years of school life and wish to hereby thank our parents for everything. Probably more than anything else we appreciate your never failing faith in us. Our prayer is that this faith may be triumphantly rewarded, that our lives may be a blessing to you dear parents and to our country.

PRINCIPAL



A MESSAGE TO THE SENIORS

The publication of this year book is only a slight indication of the possibilities and potentialities of the members of the class of 1949. You have, during the past four years, been exposed to many advantages and facilities which we hope will prove beneficial to you in many ways in the days which are to come.

The extent to which you will be able to succeed will depend very largely upon your own attitude and your own efforts. May you strive always to do your best at whatever task is assigned to you—remembering always that anything worth doing is worth doing well.

We hope that the training you have received at Price High School has been sufficiently comprehensive to help you to adjust yourselves to life's situations whether you will attend college, work in homes, in industrial plants, or other vocations. May you never be ashamed or afraid of work, and may you blend yourselves into situations which are inducive to wholesome living and productive service.

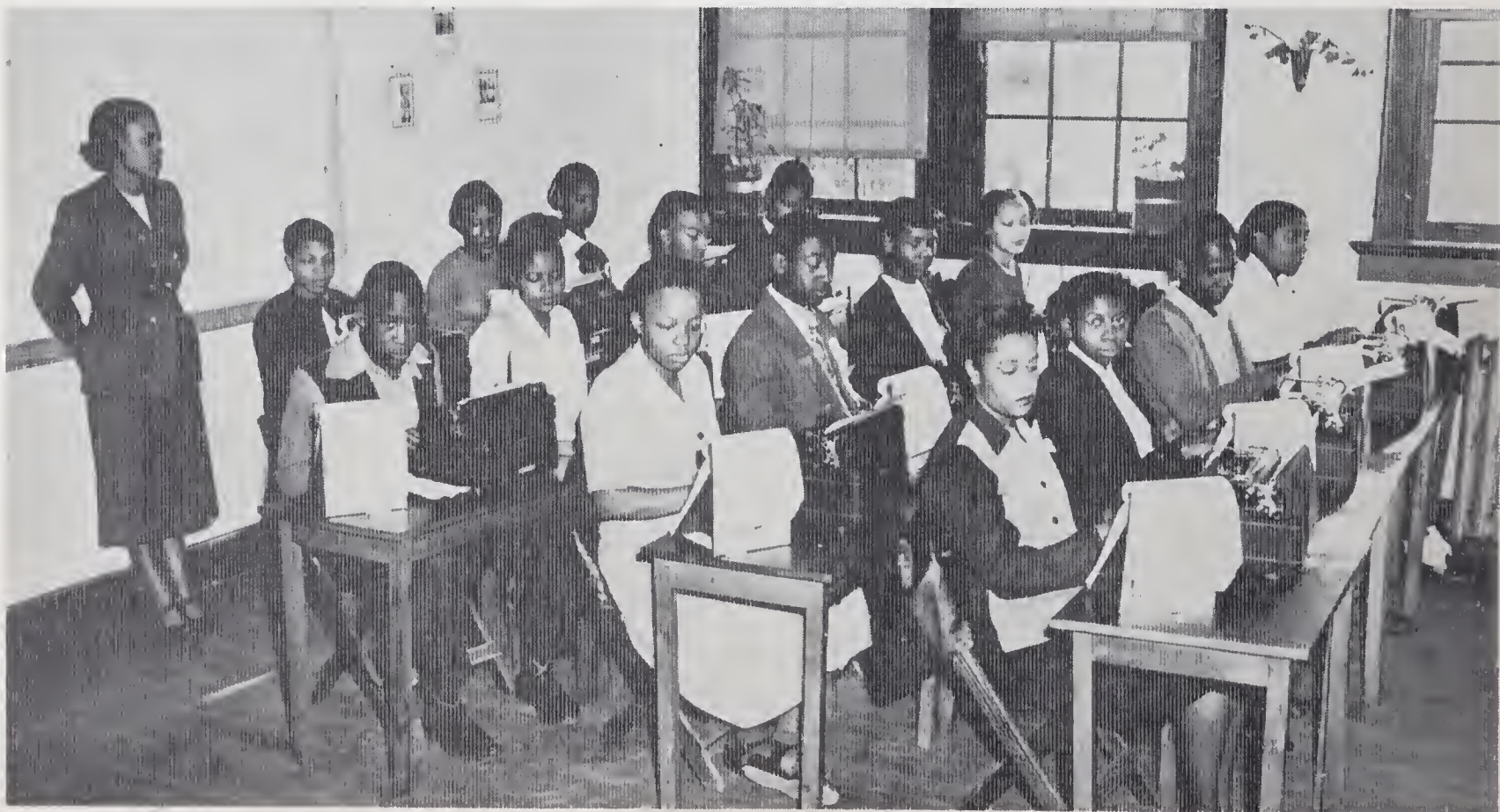


11th GRADE

Seated, left to right: Beth Hunt, Isabelle Doran, Esther Phillips, Abna Reid. Second Row: Carrie Ware, Clarence Davis, Steve Gilmore, Edgar Hatwood, Henry Giles. Third Row: William Wakefield, Washington Kitchen, Charles Teamer, Samuel Davis. Extreme right: Willie Mae Smith, Ernest Fisher, Walter Corry, Minetta Harris, Laurissa McConneaughey, Odessa Carson. Standing, left to right: Advisor Mrs. S. W. Lancaster, Louise Johnson, Dorothy Davis, Viola Jordan, Leathia Wilks, Earl Peaks, James Milton, Ada Partee, Roy Jordan, Joyce Carson, Eugene Wansley.

COMMERCIAL EDUCATION CLASS

Standing: Miss V. E. Taylor, Advisor. First Row, seated: Aurelia Tinsley, Betty Hart, Perry Leazer, Joyce Carson. Second Row: Laurissa McConneaughey, Arthur Pemberton, Maxine Ormond, Margaret Carson. Third Row: James Milton, Mildred Ross, Robert Reese, Richard Sherrill. Fourth Row: Minnie Mitchell, Hattie Steele, Mary B. Stinson.





10th GRADE

First Row, standing: Voncille Harris, Pernell Jones, Lewis Aldrich, Harold Miller. First Row, seated: Doris McClain, Harry Leazer, Willie Smith, Arthur Scott, Theodore Redfern. Second Row: Willette Miller, Patsy Hunt, Francella Jolly, Mary F. Hasty, David Elder, Theodore Bush, Claude Reid, Richard Bell, Le Grande Cowan. Third Row: Willette Harris, Katherine Woodberry, Elizabeth McKee, Arthur Mae Reid, Roosevelt Hargrave, John Chambers, Mary E. Fisher. In rear: Advisor: Mr. W. L. Miller, Burl Alexander, Mary K. Jones.

9th A CLASS

Seated, left to right: Marion Montgomery, Magdeline Douglas, Vida McConneaughey, Charles Wilkins, Donald Stewart, Steve Holt, Willie Parham, Oscar Dunham, Charles Hunt. Standing: Pernell McKee. Standing, left to right: Adrienne Lash, Montressa Peddrew, Charles Littlejohn, Norma Jean Donald, Lillian Day, Mary Gaither, Advisor: Mr. John Nicholson, Helen Cowan, Annabell Bunyon, Julia Goodjohn, Katherineleen Morris, Betty J. Lyerly, Lucille Graves, Jimmy Rippy, Charles Bush, Johnny Kincaid, Willie Smith, Mary L. Perkins.





9th B CLASS

First Row: George Alston, Laurene Simpson, Mildred Jordan, Lila McConneaughey, Bessie Scott, Betty McKinney, Hattie Mae Morris. Second Row: Virginia Fleming, Cora Lee Wright, Mary Ann Pinkston, Alice Sanders, Harold Redfern, Advisor: Mr. I. J. Olds. Third Row: Cleveland Sheck, Eugene Hovis, Lewis Gist, Odell Camps, Nathaniel Jordan. Fourth Row: Charles Wansley, Billy Ervin, Warren Lyerly, Willie F. Robinson, James Wilkins, Theodore Coleman.

8th A CLASS

Advisor: Miss Marie Weeks. First Row, left to right: Elaine Sands, Hattie Blair, Dorothy Johnson, Ida Barger, George Cowan. Second Row: Mary L. Hart, Betty Jamison, Lillian Cowan, Clara Milton, Rosa M. Muskelly, Delores Robinson, Evelyn Whitt. Third Row: William Cowan, James Tate, Hatchet Day, Jesse Ormand, Annette Wright, Madeline Boger. Fourth Row: Oscar Harris, Bobby Jolly, Robert Little, Johnny L. Cowan. Standing: Ivy Smith, Frank Jolly.





8th B CLASS

First Row, left to right: Delores Davis, Mazonia Osborne, Berena May, Mary Montgomery, Retha Jackson. Second Row: Nadine Wellington, Lila Butler, Marian Roberts, Evelyn Boger, Mamie Chambers. Third Row: Willie Faucette, Joseph Wheeler, Bertha Partee, Permilla Harris, Ray Harriston. Fourth Row: Mervin Hargrave, Carol Taggart, Jack Frost, Robert Gaither, Leonad Moore. Fifth Row: Lillie Ballard, Lillie Jackson, Charlie Neal, Robert Templeton, Berry Redfern. Standing: Advisor: Mrs. A. E. Koontz.

8th C CLASS

First Row, standing: Advisor: Mrs. N. J. Lash, Lula Cole, Pearl Chambers, Harold Carner, Donald Gist, Mary Reid, Johnny Robinson, Robert McCorkle. Sasted, first row: Harriet Kirksey, Ruth Leazer, Willie F. Jones. Second Row: Hodge Evans, John H. Brown, Hulon Butler, Clarence Rousseau, James Brown, James Bridges, George McCrae. Standing: William Hickman. Third Row: Beatrice Gaither, Doris Reid, George Alexander, Marshall Smith. Standing: Virginia Donald, Freda M. Singleton, Henry Watson, Burl Smith.



ACTIVITIES

Price Sport News for 1948-49

By PERRY LEAZER

Cheerio and hello to all Red Devils and Devil fans. This is Perry Leazer your commentator speaking to you in praise of your devilish accomplishments.

In the latter part of August and the earlier part of September through the Saturday after Thanksgiving there is something that sticks to us like the ringing of the morning and evening bell. It's the sound of cleats pacing on the gridiron turf and the well kicked ball. To see the Coaches correct one of his prize pupil's mistakes, to see the trainers with their kits of bandages and tape and other necessary items to begin pre-work on an injured player—all these sights and memories spell football.

During the 1948 football season the Red Devils compiled a record of four wins, one loss, and one tie. The Devils finished the season with all the statistics in their favor. They piled up 1,270 yards in rushing, 429 yards in passing, 59 first downs, and a kicking average of 35 yards per kick.

Steve Gilmore and Albert Reid were selected by their teammates as the most outstanding players of 1948. Gilmore along with Charles Kirkland served as co-captains of the team. Gilmore also led the team in scoring with 29 points, followed by Terry Lawz and Julius Rippy with 18 points apiece.

The years of 48-49 will be remembered as one of the most successful years of athletics at Price. Miss Viola Hargraves, a senior, was elected "Miss Price of '48. She resigned at the homecoming game with Siler City which the Devils smothered 59-0. "Miss Price" was attended by seven beautiful attendants who were: Martha Wilkins, Betty McKinney, Joyce Carson, Frances Henry, Patsy Hunt, Marian Sharpe, and Lillian Day.

All dens, camps, tents, cities, states, and governments have a head man. For over 14 years Mr. S. W. Lancaster, director of athletics, has served as "Chief Devil" of the den. Mr. Lancaster and his teams of Red Devils have brought many laurels to the school in sports. Among some of the prize catches of the Devils during Coach Lancaster's reign up until '49 are six Western Championships; the teams played for the State Championship three times, won it twice. The Devils have lost but two home games during Coach Lancaster's reign. The Devils have won well over 100 games and haven't lost but nine during Coach Lancaster's stay. Your commentator would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Coach Lancaster on such a fine record.

Hats off also to Coach A. E. Koontz, veteran in her own right of many basketball games at Price and Livingstone and holder of five state and one national tennis trophy. As a girl mentor we think she is tops and although at this broadcast the season is about half over, we are proud of Coach Koontz' lassies. Leaving our courts as seniors are Martha Kerr, Maxine Hoover, Maxine Ormond, Dot Wilson, Martha Wilkins, Marjorie Fowler, and Joelene Pryor. Here's hoping they'll continue the fine sportsmanship in life that they've shown at Price.

Baseball and track both have had successful years at Price. My fire is getting redder and I see a greater future for them.

Until another time—who knows when—I'll be signing off. It's been a pleasure to commentate on such grand commentations. Keep it up.



K. P. CLUB

Front, left to right: Robert Reese, Mrs. E. B. Hall, Advisor. Second Row: Walter Evans, Perry Leazer, Richard Sherrill, Albert Reid, President: Arthur Pemberton.

SAFETY PATROL

First Row: Martha Wilkins, William Graves; 1st Lt., Fredrick Gilmore, David Elder, James Bridges, Viola Hargrave; Captain, Jesse Ormond. Second Row: Ruth Bennett, Bernice Massey, Celestine Mitchell, Ada Partee, Advisor; Mr. W. L. Miller. Third Row: Ersell Butler, Doris McClain, Frances Henry, Leathia Wilks, Annette Wright, Mazonia Osborne, Beth Hunt, Billie J. Smoot; 2nd Lt. 4th Row: Samuel Davis, Charles Gist, Harold Miller, Charles Aldrich, George McCrae. Seated on side: Orrie Harris, Minnie Mitchell, Rose Lyerly, Carrie B. Ware.



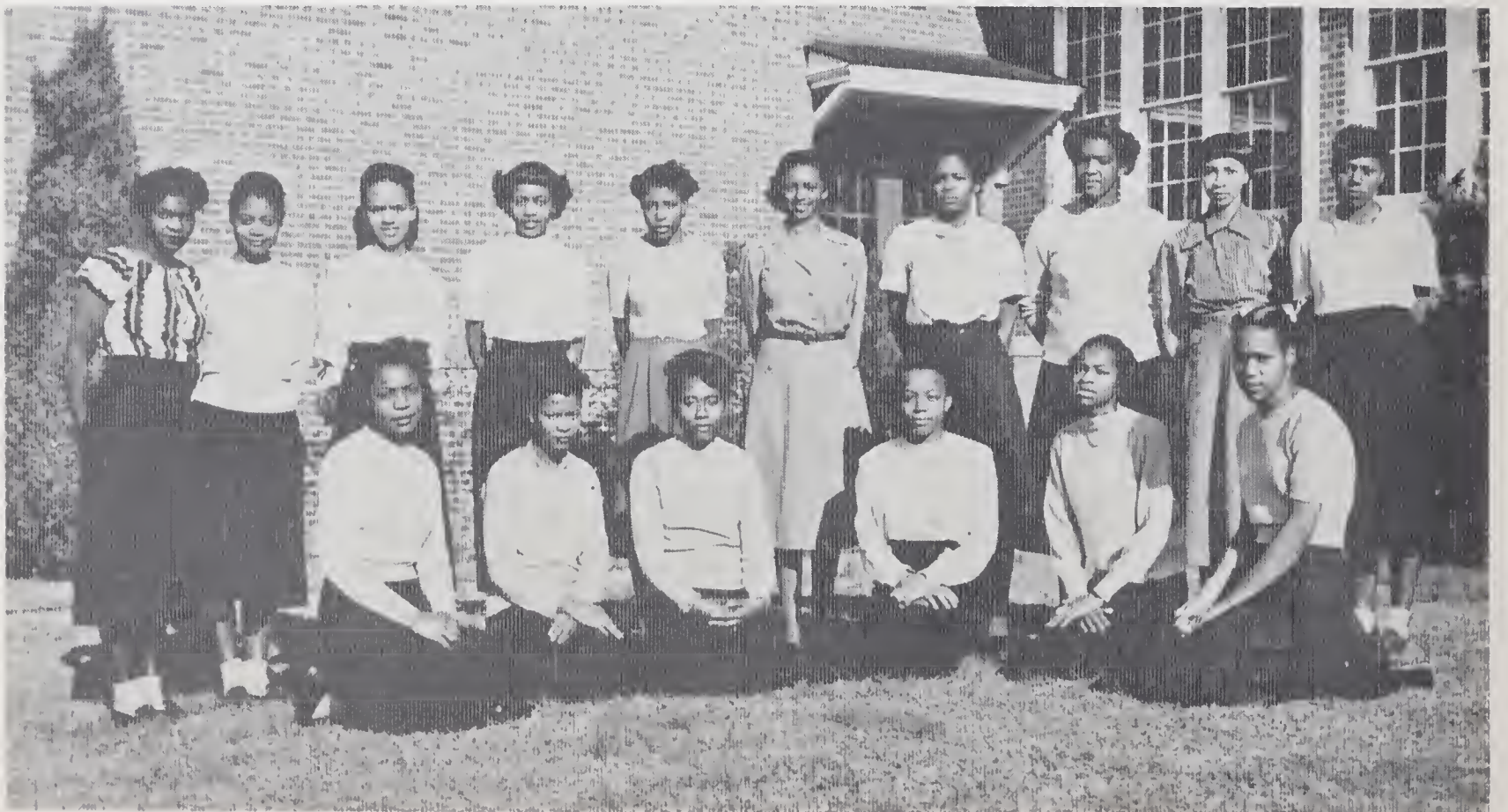


CROWN & SCEPTRE

First Row, seated: Ersell Butler, Mae F. Moore, Alton Barnette, Hattie Steele. Second Row: Rose Lyerly, Margaret Carson, Louise Johnson, Minnie Mitchell, Joeline Pryor, Doris Miller, Daniel Sharpe, Minnye Littlejohn, Maxine Ormond. Third Row: Doris Peaks, Martha Wilkins, Ernest Brown, Marjorie Fowler, William Graves, Myrtle Beatty, Audrey Kirksey, William Alexander. Fourth Row: Albert Reid, Louis Fleming, Levi Barger, Richard Sherrill, Robert Reese. Standing, extreme left: Mary L. Kerr, President; Betty Hart, Felecia Thompson. Seated: Maxine Hoover, Arthur Pemberton, Beth Hunt, Mrs. E. B. Hall, Advisor.

I. D. K.

Kneeling, left to right: Carrie B. Ware, Odessa Carson, Mae F. Weathers. Laurissa McConneaughey, Rose Lyerly, Maxine Hoover. Standing: Minetta Harris, Beth Hunt, Esther Phillips, Joeline Pryor, Martha Kerr, Mrs. A. E. Koontz, Advisor; Felecia Thompson, Myrtle Beatty, Minnye Littlejohn, Doris Peaks.





BIG SISTERS

Seated, left to right: Doris Miller, Mae F. Weathers; President, Maxine Hoover, Minnye Littlejohn, Rose Lyerly, Martha Wilkins, Betty Hart. Standing: Doris Peaks, Felecia Thompson, Maxine Ormond, Aurelia Tinsley, Mrs. E. B. Hall, Advisor; Joeline Fryor, Margaret Carson, Minnie B. Mitchell.

LIBRARY STAFF

Seated: Mrs. E. B. Hall, Advisor. Standing, left to right: Perry Leazer, David Hart, Margaret Carson, Ruth Tugman, Minnie B. Mitchell.





GLEE CLUB

First Row, left to right: William Graves, Marian Sharpe, Jessie Long, Alton Barnett, Willette Miller, Audrey Kirksey, Martha Wilkins, Dorothy Howell, Lucille Graves, Joeline Pryor, Billie J. Smoot, Felecia Thompson, Mary E. Fisher, Doris Peaks, Elizabeth McKee, Mary Louise Kerr. Second Row: Arthur M. Reid, Marjorie Fowler, Viola Hargrave, Maxine Ormond, Laurissa Robinson, Bessie McKnight, Mary Frances Weathers, Myrtle Beatty, Maye Frances Moore, Minnye Littlejohn, Patsy Hunt, Rose Lysterly, Advisor: Miss Marie Weeks. Third Row: Dunbar Cowan, Martha Kerr, Ernest Brown, Ernest Fisher, Doris McClain, Adrienne Lash, Eugene Hovis, Mary L. Perkins, Joyce Carson, Lewis Fleming, Harrison Wiggins, Robert Reese. Fourth Row: Willie Smith, Pernell Jones, Howard Bell, Arthur Pemberton, Arthur Scott, Levi Barger, Richard Sherrill, Samuel Davis, Harold Miller, Roy Jordan, Joseph Childers, Burl Alexander, Albert Reid, Carl Brown.

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Kneeling, left to right: Pernell Jones, Robert Kerr, Rufus Hobson, William Alexander, Charles Aldrich, Albert Reid, Charles Teamer, Robert Reese, Ernest Fisher, Ernest Brown, William Graves. Standing: Mr. John Nicholson, Advisor; Dunbar Cowan, Arthur Pemberton, Willie Smith, Carl Brown, Henry Giles, Levi Barger, Richard Sherrill, David Hart, Harold Miller, Walter Evans, Louis Fleming.



DRAMATICS



SCENES FROM THE PLAY

"Evening Star"

Standing, left to right: Ruth Bennett, Lena Donald, Felecia Thompson, Jessie Long, Martha Kerr, Daniel Sharpe, Ernest Brown, William Graves, William Alexander, Lauresa Robinson, Mrs. Q. V. Sutton, Instructor; Viola Hargrave, Walter Evans, Perry Leazer, Henry Giles. Seated: Hattie Steele, Audrey Kirksey, Joelene Pryor, Minnye Littlejohn.



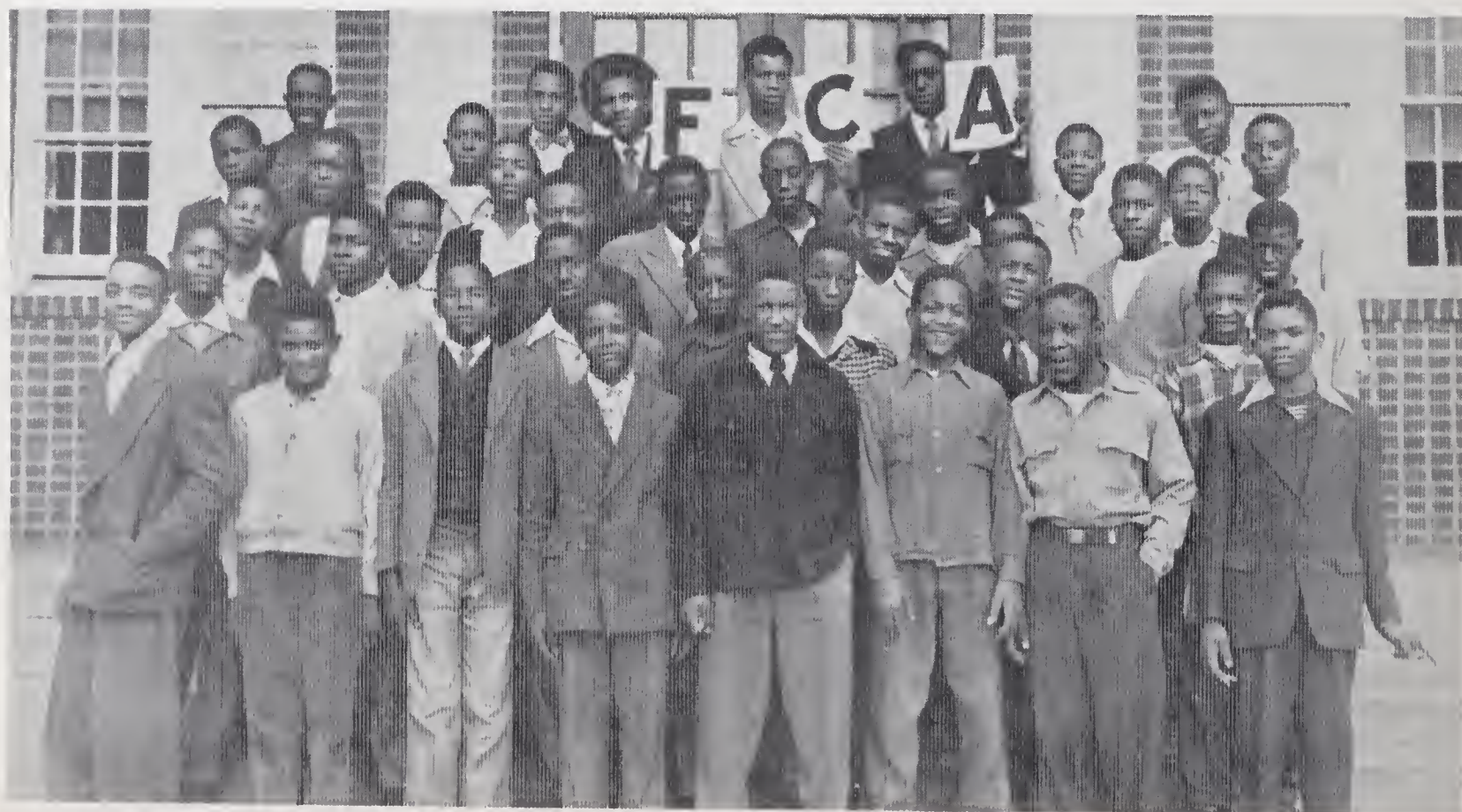


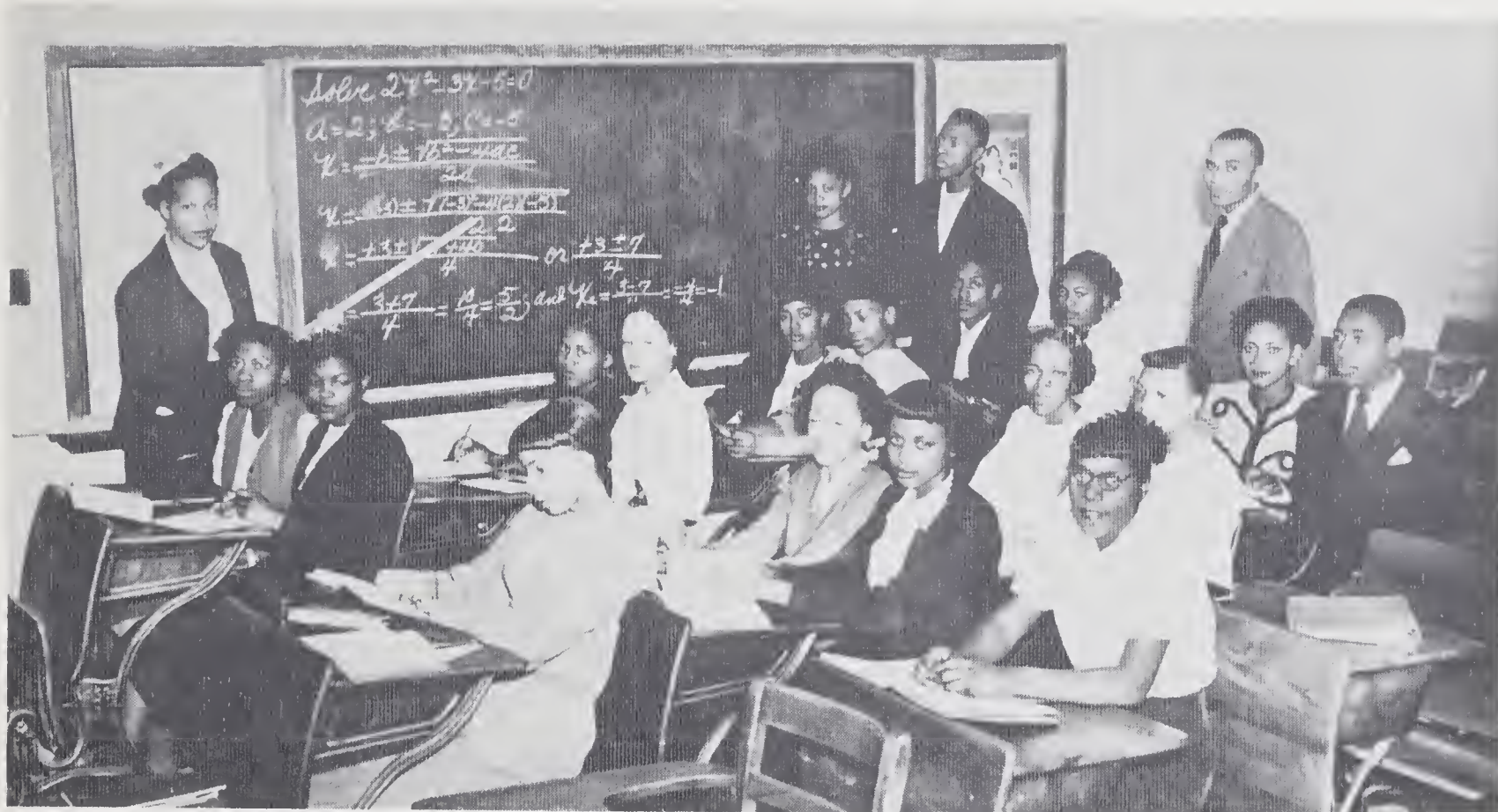
N. H. A.

Standing, extreme left: Elizabeth McKee, Mrs. W. M. Walker, Advisor; Doris Peaks, Isabelle Doran, Rose Lyerly. Seated, extreme left: Maxine Hoover, Margaret Carson, Minnie Mitchell, Martha Wilkins, Arthur M. Reid. First Row, seated: Viola Hargrave, Willette Miller, Mary F. Weathers, Patsy Hunt, Odessa Carson, Felecia Thompson. Second Row: Voncille Harris, Martha Kerr, Lucille Graves, Doris McClain, Esther Phillips, Naomi Fleming, Minetta Harris, Vida McConneaughey. Third Row: Beth Hunt, Mary K. Jones, Mary A. Pinkston, Betty McKinney, Hattie M. Morris.

F. C. A.

First Row, left to right: Bowman Aldrich, Thurston Muskelly, Eugene Hovis, Odell Carson, Roy Burney, Bennie Gaston, James E. Milton, Harold Redfern. Second Row: Richard Bell, David Elder, George Alston, Lewis Gist, William Ervin, Charles Aldrich, Billy McKinney. Third Row: James Wilkins, William Davis, Roosevelt Hargrave, Melvin Massey, William Coleman, Claude Reid, Albert Wilson. Fourth Row: James Rippy, Willie F. Robinson, Charles Gist, Arthur Doran, Bernard Smoot, Rufus Hobson, Rufus Davis, Fredrick Gilmore. Fifth Row: Clarence Davis, Lewis Fleming, William Aldrich, Robert Kerr, Earle Peaks, Carl Brown, Steve Holt.





MATH CLUB

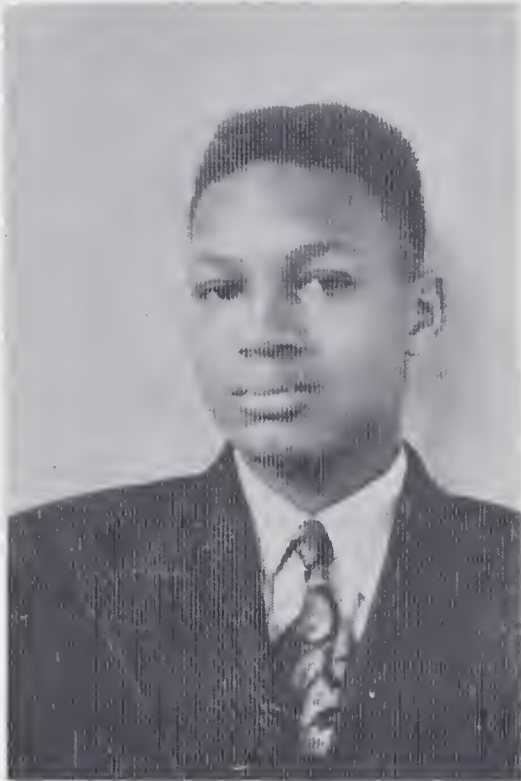
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CAFETERIA

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MEMORY PAGE



Beloved of classmates, schoolmates and faculty, Andrew Thomas Mitchell died Saturday, January 24, 1948. He was an active member of the following clubs: Science, Crown and Sceptre, Mathematics, K.P., Safety Patrol, Dramatics, Glee Club and Band. He was an exemplary student, a courteous gentleman and, all in all, a rare personality.



In memory of our late classmate, Costella Elizabeth McKnight, born August 10, 1930; died July 6, 1948. Obedient, happy, agreeable, neat, friendly, helpful, Costella was loved by all who knew her. She early learned how to get along with people and was a pleasant influence in our school. Member of Student Council, Safety Patrol, N.H.A.



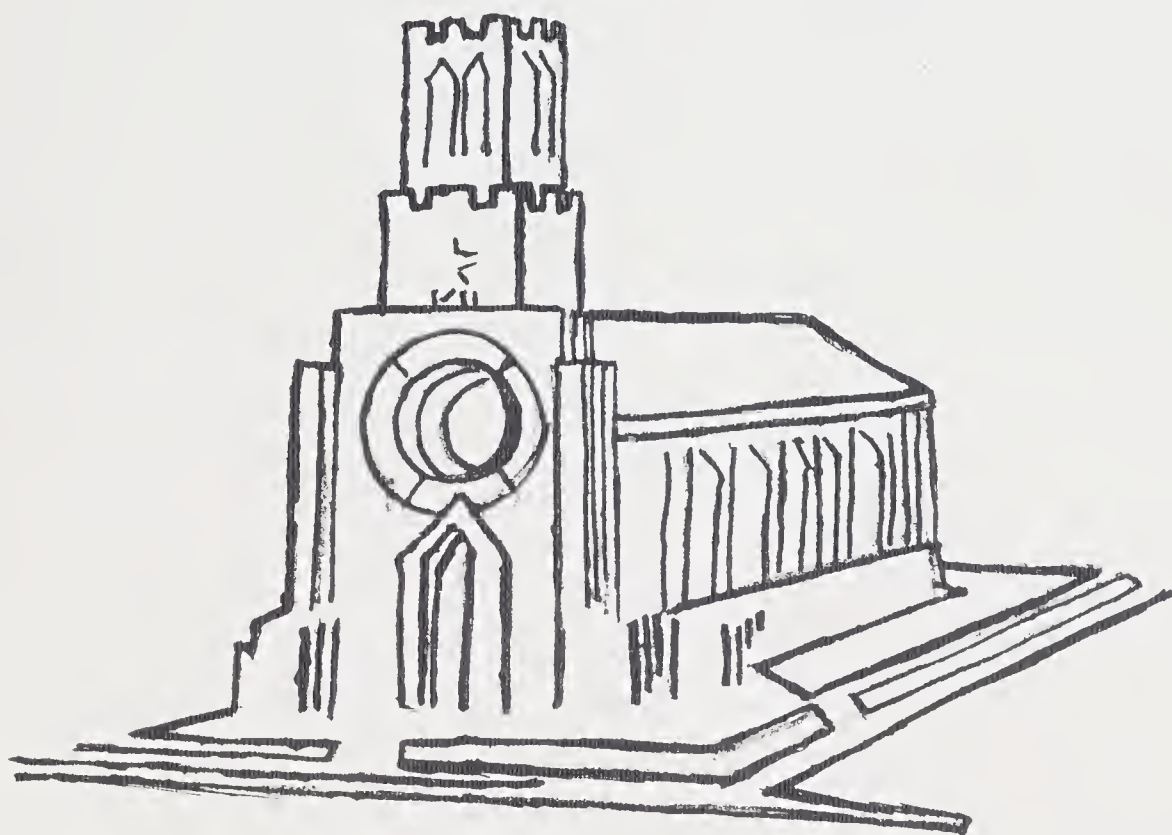
In memory of Mrs. L. Sujette Smith who died December 9, 1947. Mrs. Smith was a devoted mother, a conscientious teacher, a faithful church worker, an interested and loyal patron of all civic enterprises for the uplifting of her race. Her residence was the home of many students who came to Salisbury to attend Price High School and Livingstone College. Like the organ of her church, dedicated to her memory, Mrs. Smith's life was an instrument of beauty and inspiration.

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HIGHLIGHTS OF 48-49

SEPTEMBER

Senior Class Installation of Officers

NOVEMBER

Crowning of Viola Hargrave as Miss Price
Price wins her homecoming game from Siler City
Football squad gives baskets to the needy for Thanksgiving
Price Band in Salisbury's first big Christmas Parade
The New Homemakers of America held district meeting here
Mr. Dean of N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company speaks to student body
Price observes Book Week
Price observes American Education Week

DECEMBER

Price Band invited to participate in Albemarle's Christmas Parade
The Crown and Sceptre Club gave gifts to County Home
Price Band invited to participate in concert at Faith, N. C.
Price wins first two basketball games
Dramatic Club presents Evening Star
Football Banquet
Dramatic Club presents Showboat Minstrel
Crown and Sceptre give an initial New Year's Ball
Glee Club give annual Christmas program

JANUARY

The Youth Center opens
Dramatic Club goes to Charlotte for Dramatic Clinic

FEBRUARY

Observance of Negro History Week
Pricean goes to press

APRIL

Glee Club take parts in District and State Festivals
Boy Glee Club to give recital
Mixed Chorus to give recital
Career Day for Seniors

MAY

Junior-Senior Prom
May Day Festivities
Class Day for Seniors



MISS PRICE AND ATTENDENTS

Seated, left to right: Marion Sharpe, Betty Lou McKinney, Frances Henry, Patsy Hunt. Center: Viola Hargrave, Miss Price. Back Row, standing, left to right: Joyce Carson, Lillian Day, Principal O. C. Hall, Martha Wilkins.

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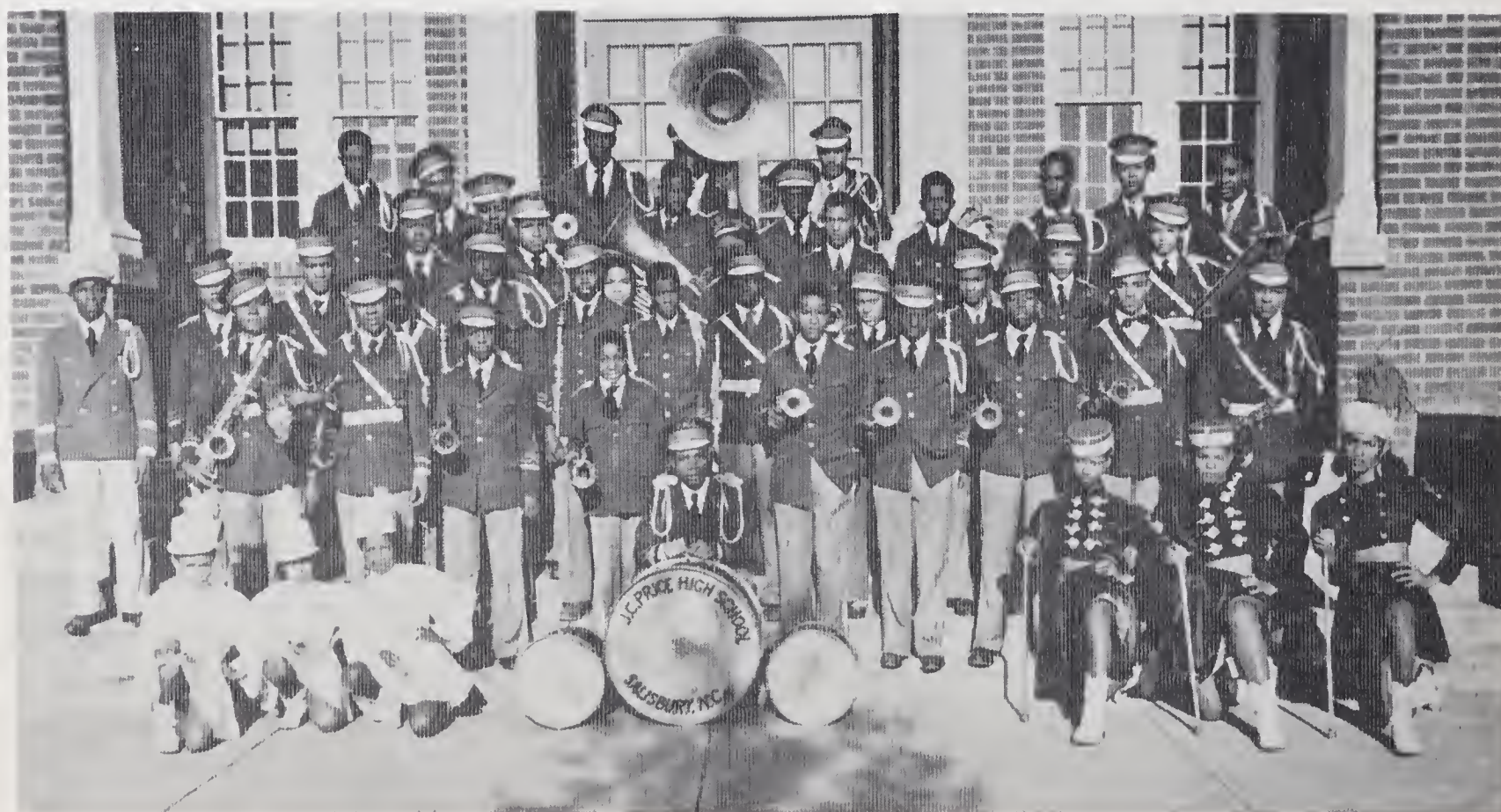
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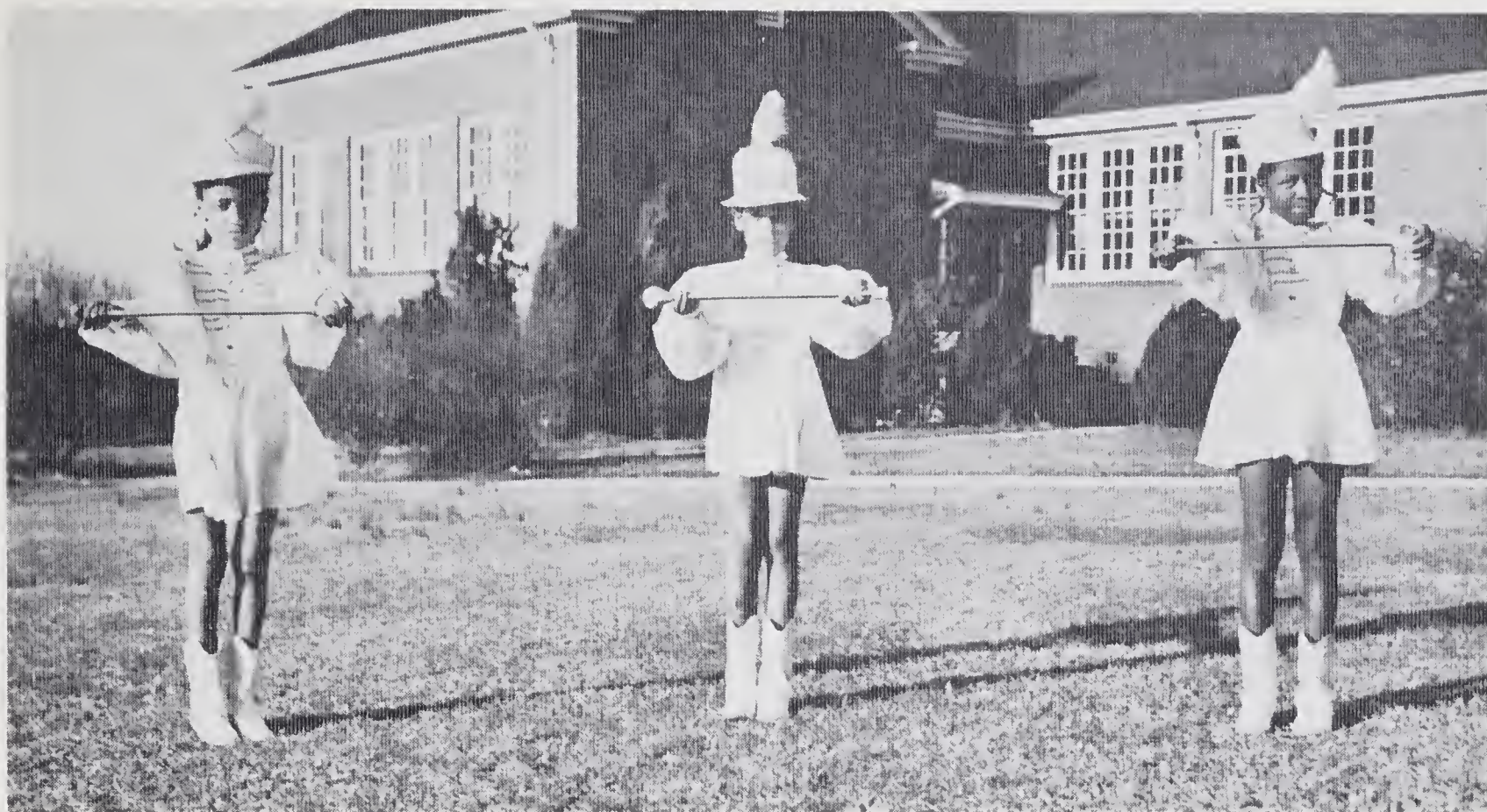




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The Senior Class of "49" wishes to express its sincere thanks and appreciation to our Superintendent, Mr. J. H. Knox, and to our Principal, Mr. O. C. Hall, for the guidance and interest given and manifested in us during the four years we have worked together here at Price High School.

To the Rowan Printing Company, the Family Studio, and all other individuals, groups and business concerns who have made the publishing of the Annual possible, we wish to give our thanks.

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Statistician's Report of the Senior Class

I, Mary Louise Kerr, acting as statistician of the class of '49, will strive my best to be worthy of this honor. I find everyone raving about the senior class, saying that it is the largest and most remarkable class ever to enter the doors of Price.

Let me tell you about our class. We found that Joelene Pryor was the most outstanding person of the class. The majority of the class is seventeen years of age. Doris Peaks represents the minority. She's just fifteen. Okay, Dot, I know I'm in the same bracket . . .

William Graves and Ira Mosley represent the midgets in our class while Richard Sherrill represents the giants.

Surveying the food line, fried chicken and mashed potatoes were very popular. The favorite cafe turned out to be no other than Club LaCaRa. We all love Beechnut Gum. Martha Wilkins prefers Bubble Gum. The favorite candy was definitely chocolate. Martha Kerr cast her vote for all-day suckers. They last longer, she says.

The majority of the class use Lux soap. Rose Lyerly wanted to be different, so she uses Duz. She says "Duz does everything." Everything, Rose????

All Seniors like basketball for the favorite sport. Frankly, I prefer ping-pong.

The best-liked classes were the Glee Club, Physical Ed., and Study Hall. Walter Evans voted for the English Class. We quickly called the doctor for fear he was sick—but found him normal—which is very unusual. Nevertheless, English and Negro History were voted as the most interesting subjects.

When we walk up to a magazine stand, we always ask for "Seventeen" or "Junior Miss." Albert Reid buys them too. Says he's studying photography, but we know better.

The be-boppers selected "Long Gone" as their favorite boogie-woogie while the smooth dancers chose—"It's Too Soon to Know."

The majority of the class are Methodists. The other major groups are Baptists and Presbyterians. Rugus Hobson is expected to be the minister of the class. Walter Evans is our pianist and Dorothy Howell our vocalist. What a revival team they should make!!!

A combination of maroon and grey led by a majority vote in the colors while shoes with crepe soles did likewise. The white carnation was the favorite flower.

Among my classmates, they will in the future be: housewives, business men, teachers, nurses, artists, secretaries, farmers and musicians.

Taking all of this into consideration, I'm sure you will find no class more wonderful than ours. We have various likes and dislikes, as you can see, but we live a wonderful life.

After reading this, may you forever remember us. With great pride and honor, I affix my signature to this report on this the first day of February in the year one thousand, nine hundred, forty-nine.

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